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THE WEATHER
Tonight, probably showers or thunderstorm; cooler.

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COUNCIL TO PROBE STREET CAR AFFAIRS

Committee Appointed to Ascertain Why Better Service Is Not Provided—Movement to Supply Adequate School Facilities Launched by Alderman Lehane

HENDERSON'S RESOLUTION
Whereas, The Northern Texas Traction company is deserving of the commendation of all our people for their great enterprise in developing our travel of our city, and, whereas, our city council has amply recognized these efforts of said company, and, whereas, but little result has been achieved as desired by said traction company, and, whereas, it is the duty of this council to investigate the neglect or failure of said company to supply sufficient facilities for the traveling public, and report the result of such investigation to the council at its next meeting.

Last night's session of the city council occupied only forty minutes, but in that short space of time the aldermen adopted two resolutions of more than passing importance. The first one was introduced by Alderman Henderson of the Seventh ward. This was pleasantly worded, but it was to the point. It proposed an investigation of the Northern Texas Traction company, in order that the council and the people may learn why Fort Worth is not provided with more and better street car service. Note is made in the resolution that the street car company is to be commended for developing the street car travel of this city. The resolution was unanimously adopted, without comment, and Mayor Powell at once appointed Alderman Henderson, Waggonman and Dycus as the investigating committee.

SCHOOL PROBLEM
Alderman Newby of the Sixth ward then introduced a resolution that two rooms be added to the Sixth ward school and that pending arrangements to this end, suitable rooms be rented to take care of the overflow from that school. Alderman Waggonman moved to adopt. Alderman Dycus moved as a substitute that it be referred to the finance committee, and made some remarks concerning conditions in the Eighth ward, where he said that Mr. Dycus had money and property tied up awaiting the proper time for building a new school. This did not meet with the approval of the aldermen from the Eighth ward, who replied that the remarks were gratuitous and "no part of the facts."

Alderman Lehane thereupon took the floor. He said that the simple proposition was that the city is without funds and that the conditions in all the wards with regard to school facilities are for the most part deplorable. "The sooner we amend the charter so as to elect our aldermen at large, and thereby cut out this 'localism,' the better off we will be," he said. "This thing of one alderman not wanting a street car line in his ward, but being willing for another alderman to have it, and of wanting this thing or that for his ward, while another alderman ought not to have it, is going too far. We need more school facilities and I am in favor of amending that resolution by directing the ways and means committee to consult with the finance committee and the school board to ascertain what money can be had and to provide what we need."

NEWBY'S EXPLANATION
Alderman Newby said that in regard to the first part of his resolution, he was willing to have it go over to conference, but so far as the second part of it was concerned, he desired action at once. This part of the resolution provides for the renting of rooms in which to take care of the overflow from the school. "One teacher in the Sixth ward school has more than eighty pupils in her room," said Mr. Newby. "A lady who resides in this ward for twelve years ago and who has three children of school age,

phoned me several days ago that she was unable to get her children into the school, as it was overcrowded." The part of the resolution referred to then was adopted while the first part, providing for the erection of additional rooms, amended by Alderman Lehane, so as to provide for the taking up of the whole school proposition by the finance committee and the board of school trustees, went as indicated for consideration in the immediate future.

OTHER ACTIONS
Resolutions in regard to the grading and traveling of Fifth avenue and May street went over, owing to the depleted condition of the city treasury. The claim of Ed Siebold, on motion of Alderman Moreland of the claims committee, was received and filed. A petition for a two-inch water main on East First street was allowed. A proposed ordinance to prohibit the drawing of loads of great weight over the viaduct was given its first reading. It makes it a misdemeanor for a four-wheel load of over 8,000 pounds, or a two-wheel load of over 4,000 pounds, to be drawn across the viaduct.

A petition providing for the laying of tracks, trolley poles, wires, etc., upon Pine street and Pacific avenue to give the traction company access to its new car barn, which is to cost between \$40,000 and \$50,000, and which is to be located between East Front street and the baseball park, went to the street and alley committee. A communication from the Frisco railroad, that the matter of modifying the whistling of locomotives had been referred to the proper quarter, was received.

A petition to close the alley in block 97, Texas and Pacific addition, and another to open an alley in block 79, were referred to the street and alley committee.

MORE WATER MAINS
Mr. Lehane made a statement that he had been informed that certain petitions for the extension of the water mains on the South Side had been sent to his office yesterday evening after he left there. He desired to say, as chairman of the water works committee, that he was sorry he did not receive them in time to present them at the council meeting and would take the petitions around to his brother aldermen today and obtain their consent to having the extensions and connections made.

Alderman Henderson moved that the ordinance in regard to swinging signs on the streets be amended in order that it can be enforced more vigorously, and the motion carried. On motion of Alderman Moreland, when the council adjourned it did so with the understanding that it would meet in adjourned session a week from today at 10 p. m. to consider the annual budget and tax levy. The finance committee found it impossible to complete the budget yesterday.

\$5,000 will be exceeded. Sums varying from fifty cents to \$50 have been received from 35 of the different states and territories.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS FALL

Continued Drought in South Africa Makes Money Tight. NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The customs receipts indicate a falling off for the first time in several years, says a Times dispatch from Cape town. Money is tight throughout South Africa, and the economic outlook everywhere is anxious. A general commercial reaction prevails because of overstocking and the severe droughts.

TYLER COTTON MARKET

Receipts Are Good, But They Fall Below Last Year. TYLER, Texas, Oct. 2.—There is complaint at all cotton markets in this section that cotton is not coming in freely. Several of the competing markets with Tyler complain that they are getting but little cotton. Tyler appears to be getting a very large share of the cotton and is leading in receipts; but it is behind last year. The cotton is not in the country. It was not made. The farmers have not got it to sell as they have had heretofore, and the report that Tyler is getting more than its share comes from the fact that the crop is short and the further fact that prices have been better in Tyler than at competing points where cotton is handled through Tyler at last. This expense item is an advantage for Tyler naturally as a real cotton selling market.

COLLIN COUNTY RECORD

202 Births and Forty-eight Death Reports. ed During September. MCKINNEY, Texas, Oct. 2.—Deputy County Clerk J. C. Saunders has completed the work of making out the Collin county vital statistics report for September, which will be sent to State Health Officer Taber at Austin. The records show a record of 202 births in Collin county during the month just closed, and forty-eight deaths. This is a decrease of five births and an increase of eight deaths compared with the previous month.

COSTLY STATUE TO THE MEMORY OF GOV. GOEBEL

Monument Will Stand in the Frankfort Cemetery and Will Cost \$15,000

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Arthur Gobel, brother of the late Governor Wm. Goebel of Kentucky is in the city to inspect the model of a statue to be erected in memory of the assassin's victim. The monument, which is to cost \$15,000 donated by public subscription will stand in the Frankfort, Ky. cemetery. It shows Mr. Goebel standing beside a gothic column, his left hand slightly behind him, holding a manuscript, while the right arm falls naturally with hand firmly clenched. The statue will be of granite and adorned with relief in bronze. It is hoped to unveil the statue on the anniversary of the governor's death.

LIPTON IS VERY POPULAR

It is Now Expected That Gift Fund Will Exceed \$5,000. New York, Oct. 3.—Replies from the mayors of the various cities where subscriptions to the Sir Thomas Lipton memorial fund have been received indicate that the amount set out to be raised,



Owing to the sickness of the czar's brother, Grand Duke Michael, it is considered a strong possibility that Grand Duke Vladimir will succeed to the throne if the czar should die without a male heir. He is acknowledged to be a believer in the theory of Peter I that Russia may rule the world.

TWO BILLION CORN CROP IS ASSURED

Wheat Also Promises to Be Above the Average—Cotton Receipts Backward

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—A special telegram to the International Mercantile Agency regarding more important trade features are summarized as follows: Some concern has been felt last week regarding the reduction movement begun by pig iron makers and in the building trades at St. Louis and elsewhere may extend to other lines. Merchants in staple lines have begun to cut down orders somewhat. At St. Paul and tributary territory jobbing demand is less than expected and it is thought collections may be delayed 30 days although spring wheat threshing prospects are rather more favorable than last week. Country merchants throughout the northwest are beginning to hold off a little. Wholesale and retail trade in the iron and coal regions is somewhat upset over the shut downs, present and prospective, of cancellations of orders for some varieties of steel and checked buying by some manufacturers. In other directions trade is encouraging. Hardware is most active at Pittsburgh. Some manufacturers are having a large trade in St. Louis and are ordered far ahead. Louisville is overrun with country merchants. Philadelphia reports no decline in demand with improved collections. In New England distribution runs 15 per cent ahead of last year. At Chicago wholesale and retail lines show results of having inflow of country buyers. New Orleans is suffering from a strike which upsets the port and affects general business.

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ASKS GOVERNOR TO AID STEWART

AUSTIN, Oct. 2.—Judge J. J. Storey has presented three long and very strong petitions to Governor Latham requesting him to use his influence with the governor of Chihuahua, Mexico, to pardon Max Stewart now confined in a dungeon in that state. These petitions were accompanied by an eloquent letter urging the governor to act.

A BANK FOR GRANDVIEW

GRANDVIEW, Texas, Oct. 2.—Outside capitalists and several local moneyed men are interesting themselves in the organization of the Second National Bank of Grandview. Arrangements are not yet fully perfected for the new organization, but probably will be in the next few days. Grandview is a growing town and is beginning to attract men of means.

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NEW TUNNEL IS A REMARKABLE PIECE OF WORK

Remarkable Precautions for Safety Being Taken by the Pennsylvania Railroad

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—After months of consultation between eminent engineers of this and other cities, the Pennsylvania Railroad company finally has decided upon the method by which it will build its tunnels under the North and East rivers and Manhattan Island, and has advertised for bids on the work and material.

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MARVELOUS GROWTH OF LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET

Figures for Ten Months of This Year and Same Months of Last Year Tell the Story of Fort Worth's Expansion as Packing House Center

Table with columns for 'TEN MONTHS' RECORD' and 'SHEEP'. Rows include months from February to September, with values for receipts and totals.

Three years ago the people of Texas, and especially Fort Worth, began trying to interest the big northern packers to locate a packing house or two in Fort Worth. Committees were appointed to confer with the packing house representatives and tell them why Fort Worth should be selected as their southern point of operations. They did tell them, and today Fort Worth is the greatest live stock market in the Southwest.

Fort Worth was first recognized as a live stock market in the early '80s, and the only packing house here at that time was the Fort Worth Packing and Provision company, a concern which was able to handle only a small supply of live stock each day, and when more cattle and hogs came in than could be used by this firm they were generally sold to speculators and butchers. With this small beginning Fort Worth aspired to something greater and succeeded in interesting big northern packers to come here.

Fort Worth now has the finest live stock exchange building in the country, the most modern cattle and hog yards and the best equipped and best arranged packing houses to be found anywhere, packing plants which have been constructed after years of experience in building them at other markets.

Table with columns for 'CATTLE' and 'HOGS'. Rows include months from January to September, with values for receipts and totals.

It is the confident belief that the market here will continue to grow at even a more rapid pace than has been maintained thus far. The receipts at present, especially of hogs, are not heavy enough, but the same thing is true at other live stock markets, and is due to natural conditions, the run of heavy hogs being well along over and the run of lighter grades not having well begun. To the hog owner the Fort Worth market offers unexampled inducements and a record-breaking run of receipts is confidently looked for during the winter.

HORSES AND MULES

This article would not be complete without reference to the horse and mule market of Fort Worth. Texas is the leading horse state of the Union and stands second, if not first, in mules. Only a few days ago there was a sale of 4,000 horses and mules here and that was only preliminary to the real opening of the mammoth horse and mule yards now under construction by the stock yards company. On October 29-30 the yards will be opened with a sale of 10,000 head of horses and mules. At this sale buyers will be here from a dozen states.

TWO MINES NOW OPERATED BY COMPANY

THURBER, Texas, Oct. 2.—The Texas and Pacific Coal Company is now operating mines Nos. 7 and 9. There are 350 pick men working, and it is expected that 600 will be in the mines Monday morning when the day's work starts. Affairs in Thurber are adjusting themselves to the old conditions, except that the union is strongly entrenched here, which was not the case prior to the exodus. The men are thoroughly satisfied with conditions, have moved back into their homes and have taken up their work, as if nothing had happened. General Manager W. K. Gordon has letters and telegrams from many of the old men, who desire again to take their places in the mines. These men left in the special train which the union provided and have been located at Bonanza, Ark., and several at a point in Missouri. The men are familiar with Thurber, they have made this their home for years, and now that all differences with the union have been adjusted they are anxious to get back. In some instances they are being given their places in the mines, and by every train they are arriving. Sixteen came in yesterday, and others are expected every day.

CHILDREN MANY

AUSTIN, Oct. 2.—The officials in the various state departments encounter strange things sometimes in statistics, history and social economy. Two instances yesterday in the school warrant department in the comptroller's office the last census give Hidalgo county a population of 6,437 while in Hidalgo county it is 39 per cent. On this basis the county will receive \$13,455 while Jackson county with a population of 6,000 receives \$14,415, and Stephens with a population of 5,465 reports 1,519 children and receives \$7,555 as their part of the state appropriation for the support of their public schools.

TREASURY RECEIPTS

Table with columns for 'SCHOOL LAND INTEREST', 'SCHOOL LAND PRINCIPAL', 'SCHOOL LAND LEASES', 'UNIVERSITY LAND INTEREST', 'UNIVERSITY LAND LEASES', 'DEAF AND DUMB ASYLUM', 'DEAF AND DUMB ASYLUM INTEREST', 'ORPHANS ASYLUM INTEREST', 'LUNATIC ASYLUM INTEREST'. Rows include amounts for each category.

Advertisement for F. G. McPeak & Co. featuring a large image of a cow's head and the text 'OLDEST AND BEST.' and 'ADDRESS ALL MAIL TO THE COMPANY.'

DEAR SIR: Receipts of cattle at all the live stock centers for the past week have been the largest of the season, Chicago having showed up last Monday with 44,000 head, Kansas City 23,000, while our little market had 4,800, a total here of 11,500 for the week.

Hog receipts this week were 3,704 head. The market opened Monday steady with last week's close, tops being \$6.25, and has been on a steady decline until today, Saturday, we are quoting our tops at \$5.90 to \$6.00; lighter hogs of fair quality \$5.75 to \$5.90; stockers \$5.00 to \$6.00 per 100 pounds.

Table with multiple columns listing market prices for 'COWS AND HEIFERS', 'STEEPS', 'CALVES', and 'HOGS'. Each section includes columns for quantity, average price, and individual item prices.

Today's Market Quotations. Latest and Most Complete Report Printed in North Texas.

NORTH FORT WORTH, Oct. 3.—The usual light Saturday run of cattle came to hand this morning, five cars of 136 head comprising the entire receipts. Both buyers and sellers were on the ground early and the light supply changed hands on the early market at steady prices.

Hog receipts were the most liberal for any Saturday in several months, nearly 700 head being yarded for the opening market. The bulk of the run, changing hands at prices ranging from \$5.95 to \$7.75, with an extreme price on light weight stuff at \$8.50.

Table titled 'TODAY'S SHIPPERS' listing various shippers and their respective quantities and prices for different types of livestock.

ARE NOW CONSOLIDATED. Cassidy-Southwestern and Fort Worth Merge Into One Company. One of the most important changes which has taken place at the stock yards for some time was the consolidation of the Fort Worth Live Stock Commission Company and the Cassidy-Southwestern Live Stock Commission Company.

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valley states and thence northeastward to the upper lakes. Clear and colder prevail in the Rocky mountain states.

WEATHER RECORD. Table showing weather data for various stations including Amarillo, Denver, El Paso, Fort Worth, Kansas City, etc., with columns for Max, Min, and Wind.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN. Following is the weather record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. on Saturday, October 3.

Table showing weather data for various stations in the cotton region, including Amarillo, Abilene, Beeville, Breham, etc.

DISTRICT AVERAGES. Table showing average weather data for various districts including Central, Abilene, Augusta, Charleston, etc.

REMARKS. There were no decided changes in the weather during the past twenty-four hours, continuing warm throughout the cotton region.

RECEIPTS. Receipts of cotton at the leading accumulative centers, compared with the receipts the same day last year.

Table comparing cotton receipts for various locations like Galveston, New Orleans, Mobile, etc., with last year's data.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS. The estimated receipts of cotton for tomorrow at the places named, compared with the receipts same day last year, are as follows:

Table showing estimated cotton receipts for various locations like New Orleans, Houston, Liverpool, etc.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 3.—The tone of the spot cotton market was easier today, at 5.6d, with the demand limited.

NEW YORK STOCKS. NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The range of prices on the New York Stock Exchange today was as follows:

Table showing stock prices for various companies like American sugar, Am. Copper, etc.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 3.—The tone of the spot cotton market today was steady, Middling sold at 9.5c. Sales, 700 bales.

FORECAST. The forecast for Texas east of the one hundred meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows:

WEATHER CONDITIONS. Forecast for Georgia: Issued the following report of the weather conditions this morning.

THE GOVERNMENT REPORT. NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The government report, giving the condition of the cotton crop at 62.1 against 62.2 a month ago, was read this morning.

STARTLING SUICIDE IN ST. CHARLES

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 3.—Under unusually sensational circumstances Jack Stewart O'Neill, a New Yorker, but for some time business manager of the Orange, Texas, Tribune, suicided at the St. Charles hotel today.

Some time ago he came to Orange and fell desperately in love with a beautiful girl of that city. The note says he married the girl, her father insisting upon the ceremony.

CONFIRMATION OF THE FACTS IN O'NEILL'S STORY HAS YET REACHED HERE.

WEEKLY REPORT OF CITY SCHOOLS

"If I can get the parents to assist me, we can work out this overcrowded condition of the schools very nicely, and all children will be accommodated," said Superintendent Alexander Hogg this morning.

Every effort is being made by Superintendent Hogg to get things in shipshape. He is moving the pupils about, as conveniently as possible, so that all can be accommodated where there is room for them.

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 3.—The cookers in Corning's distillery blew up this morning. One body has been removed from the wreck, and it is reported that ten more are under the debris.

COTTON BELT'S NEW FAST TRAIN

The Trip to St. Louis Will Be Made From Fort Worth in Twenty-three Hours.

Announcement was made today by General Passenger Agent J. F. Lehane of the Cotton Belt that effective October 15, his line will put on a fast train from St. Louis, making the run from Fort Worth in twenty-three hours.

Mr. Lehane, "All new, from end to end, the best equipment money can buy, and a time card that will dazzle you. The company has procured the newest and latest, not only of our own equipment, but of the Pullman Company as well, and we will make the time."

Officers for the Year Are Chosen at Meeting Today. At noon today the Old Settlers' Association of Tarrant county elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows:

CITY IN BRIEF

Nash Hardware Company. Curran's Hand Laundry, Sixth and Burnett streets. Phone 1741-4 rings.

Read Telegram Want "Ads."

Vertical text on the far right edge of the page, including names and fragments of text.

GOVERNOR HONORS A FORMER PUPIL

Judge Talbot of Texarkana Was Formerly Scholar of the Chief Executive

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 2.—Judge J. M. Talbot of Texarkana was appointed by Governor Lanham yesterday evening to fill the vacancy on the court of civil appeals of the Fifth supreme judicial district, made by the resignation of Howard Templeton.

Judge Talbot is 56 years old and has lived nearly all of his life in Texas. Thirty-five years ago he was a pupil of the governor's when he taught school in Bowie county.

MAKING IT HOT FOR FRAUDULENT INSURANCE MEN

Commissioner Clay Is on the Trail of Many Companies in Texas

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 2.—The vigorous campaign being made by Commissioner Clay against fraudulent and irresponsible insurance companies in Texas seems to be working well in the way of protecting the people from becoming victimized by these bogus concerns.

DRAINAGE CANAL TO BE ATTACKED

Chicago Council Is Now Ready to Bring Action in Supreme Court

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 2.—Chicago's city council is preparing to attack the validity of the act creating the Chicago \$10,000,000 drainage canal. The finance committee of the council has formally advised the corporation counsel, Mr. Tolman, to bring action in the supreme court of the state for next week.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

Children of Christian Tabernacle Are at Lake Erie Today

The Sunday school of the Christian Tabernacle is today picnicking at Lake Erie, and there are in the crowd some things like 128 pupils. They belong to a class of young people who have not

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—A bargain in a square piano; in good condition, new keys, etc. V. Greene, 145 East Second street.

LOST—Roll of 29 silver dollars, between my office and First National bank, James F. Moore.

ACCORDION PLEATING—Also skirts repaired, by Mrs. Wolfe, 299 South Rusk street.

CATTLEMEN—See us for fine grazing land: 700 acres in blocks to split farms and suburban property to exchange for city property. 2,500 acres for \$1,250 cash. \$550 balance in forty years with 2 per cent interest; bargain in 65,000 acres, 18,000 acres and 1,700 cattle at a bargain. We are headquarters for anything you want to buy, sell, exchange or rent; any kind of merchandise stocks to sell and exchange vendors' notes; a 9 per cent dividend proposition in stock. E. T. Tolson & Co., 319 Houston street. Phone 171-2 rings.

DRILL FOR OIL AT TULSA, I. T.

Work Is Being Carried On Secretly, But Results Are Already Known

TULSA, I. T., Oct. 2.—Drilling oil wells and gas wells has come to be one of the important industries of Tulsa. The employees about these wells, as well as the local managers for the companies which are carrying on the work, are very reticent of facts about their business. Nevertheless it is safe to say that there are in the neighborhood of twenty wells drilled or being drilled within a radius of twelve miles of Tulsa.

RAILROADS ASKED TO SEND REPORTS

The Commission Sends Final Notice That They Must Be Sent In

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 3.—Forty-seven of the sixty-eight railway companies of Texas have made annual reports to the railroad commission as required by an act of 1891, leaving twenty-one to be heard from. To these delinquents the commission addressed the following communication yesterday:

"The annual report for your company to this commission for the year ending June 30, 1903, has not yet reached this office, though long since due. Has it been forwarded? And if not, please advise by wire on what date we may expect to receive it.

CAPITOL DOME VISITORS

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 3.—The whole number of visitors to the dome of the capitol for September was 1,402. Visitors from other states and nations, 66; Mexico, 6; largest number from one state, Missouri, 11; Illinois and New York 7 each; Ohio, 6; Louisiana, Indiana, Alabama and Mississippi, 3 each; other states from 1 to 2. Dr. L. D. Hill says the best of order has prevailed during the month. Admission to school children has been refused in the morning, for the reason that they may come to play truant.

COMMISSION NOT WORRIED

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 3.—All the members of the railroad commission were at their posts today. None of the commissioners was talking about the suits filed yesterday in the federal court in Dallas by the express companies, but were not apparently disturbed over the proceedings. The commissioners have known for several weeks that the express companies would resist any reduction of rates.

COULD MAY GET IT

It is reported that Gold interests have absorbed the Pine Bluff and Western road. This line runs from Pine Bluff to Sheridan. It is also being extended to Benton. The rumor is that the property has been bought by the Iron Mountain. Officials of the company have just made a trip over the line. There has been a report current some time that such a deal was pending.

NEW OCEAN FREIGHT LINE

On October 1st new ocean freight service arranged by the Kansas City Southern went into effect. The new line of steamers will operate from Port Arthur, Tex., to the principal ocean ports of Great Britain and the continent.

COLONY FOR MEXICO

From South Texas comes the report that the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, Rock Island, Southern Pacific and Mexican International roads have closed a deal to move one hundred families from Greer county, Okla., to Mexico.

CONGESTION RELIEVED

The health officials now on the border between Texas and Mexico have relaxed the quarantine along the Texas and Mexican railroad in order to permit the movement of freight from this country into the republic.

GENERAL MANAGER TRICE HERE

General Manager Leroy Trice of the International and Great Northern railway arrived here yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in a special train accompanied by Hugh Irvine, superintendent of this division of the road. There are a large

IMMIGRANTS FROM KENTUCKY

N. R. Tisdal, immigration agent of the Cotton Belt, will leave Fort Worth tonight for east Texas, where on Tuesday he will meet, by appointment, several home-seekers who are coming from Kentucky for the purpose of buying lands along the Cotton Belt in that part of the state and locating for the purpose of engaging in farming and truck growing.

RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS

H. T. Keenan, general agent of the Burlington route, accompanied by his wife and nurse, left here last night for St. Louis and Chicago for a two weeks' visit for the benefit of Mrs. Keenan's health, which has been very poor for several months.

The Churches of Fort Worth

CHRISTIAN TABERNACLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Fifth and Throckmorton streets. James S. Myers, pastor. Services every morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:45. Evening theme, "The Problem of the Young Woman—Her Dues and Debts." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. The Sunday school will begin its "red and blue contest" Sunday morning.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN Church, corner Broadway and St. Louis avenue. Rev. Junius B. French, pastor. Rev. William Hughes, associate minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. At 11 a. m. the Lord's supper will be administered and forty new members will be publicly received. Dr. A. L. Phillips, the general assembly secretary of the Sunday school church, will preach at 7:30 p. m. Special singing at both services. Miss Carrie Kellar and Rollin M. Peace will sing at 11 a. m.

TAYLOR STREET CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN church, corner Fifth and Taylor streets—Services Sunday, October 4, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Local solo in morning by Miss Downing. Communion service in morning. Sermon by pastor in evening, Isaiah 1:18-20.

EPISCOPAL TRINITY CHURCH, corner Homphill street and Pennsylvania avenue—Robert Hammond Cotton, M. A. B. S. (London), rector. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Third anniversary of the consecration of the church, the opening of the Trinity Guild hall and the inauguration of the vested choir.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Luther Little, the pastor, will be in his pulpit at both hours. Subject at 11 a. m., "Radiating Gospel." Evening subject, "Where Christ Is, God Is Glorified."

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientist) FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientist), corner St. Louis and Terrell avenues—Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Sunday school immediately after morning service. Subject today, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. Free public reading room at the church, open daily from 1 to 5 p. m.

A. M. E. CHURCH ALLEN CHAPEL, corner Elm and First streets—Rev. D. S. Moten, B. D., pastor. Sunday prayer band at 6 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Theme, "A Prayer Lesson." General class meeting at 4 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society at 4 p. m. Topic, "Lessons From Abraham." Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Theme, "The Little Captive Maid's Faith." Week day services as usual.

JURY IN WOLF CASE STILL OUT

Late this afternoon the jury in the case of the state vs. Joe Wolf was still considering its verdict. Wolf is charged with murdering Hendrix Long, last December. Andrews' crew already is under conviction for this crime, and Wolf a convict for the murder of James Wilson last January. Both are under life sentences.

TOM RAY IS KILLED

Slain at El Paso in Quarrel Over a Dice Game. A dispatch from El Paso brings news of the killing there of Tom Ray, a gambler, who resided in this city for several years. He was shot during a quarrel in Juarez, by a man with whom he quarreled over a dice game.

RUNAWAY KILLS A MAN

HILLSBORO, Texas, Oct. 2.—Sam Johnson was killed in a runaway today en route to Navarro county on a pick-up with him, were uninjured.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT

Table with columns: Reserves, Loans, Deposits, Circulation. Values: \$631,800, \$1,057,900, \$4,144,000, \$1,190,000.

NORTH SIDE AND ROSEN HEIGHTS

Rev. O. G. Jones, Presbyterian State Evangelist, Opens Revival Meeting

Nash Furniture company. Work has been resumed on the stock yards extension of the street car line and the latest promise from the management of the traction company is that cars will be running within a few days.

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McCARTHY IS JAILED

Man Charged With Stealing Team and Buggy Waves Examination. WEATHERFORD, Texas, Oct. 2.—Chris McCarthy, who was arrested at Weatherford, Ok., on charge of taking a team of horses to that place, this morning when returning to jail and his bond was fixed at \$700. Being unable to make bond he was remanded to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

Dr. H. C. Siger, dentist, 2034 Houston street, phone 1260. Five dollars for the finest set of teeth in the world for twenty days. Ask about "White" or "Justus" teeth, which have carried off all medals and premiums of the world for the past twenty years. All other strictly high-class work at corresponding low prices. Eighteen years at the business.

HAWLEY BEGINS WORK MONDAY

City Engineer Will Go to Waco to Investigate Water Works Sale. WACO, Tex., Oct. 3.—The board of arbitration in the water question is not losing any time in getting matters to rights in and out of Monday. Engineer Hawley of Fort Worth will be on the ground here to organize the investigation and collect data for use by the arbitration board in fixing a price on the Bell plant.

BOYD COTTON MARKET

Grade and Prices Are Both Better This Year Than Last. BOYD, Tex., Oct. 2.—At the close of business the first Wednesday in October of last year our local buyers had bought 1,792 bales of cotton, for which they had paid from 7.3-8 to 7.7-8, basis middling, while to date this season basis has been from 8.4 to 10.12 for middling, with the grade far better than last year. In fact, very few bales have been sold that graded as low as middling, making the cotton sold so far much more profitable than last year.

NEW METHOD OF SALE

Many Farmers Prefer to Dispose of Loose Cotton at Once. WACO, Tex., Oct. 2.—There has been quite a change in the past few years in the manner of handling cotton close to this city, as under the old plan the farmer had all cotton ginned and then sold it on the market.

JEFFERSON AND DENTON ROLLS

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 2.—The complete rolls of Jefferson and Denton counties for the year 1903 were received by the comptroller today. Jefferson looms up with an increase in taxable wealth on previous year of \$8,465,130, while Denton county drops back and shows a decrease of \$31,847.

ORANGE COUNTY BONDS

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 3.—The comptroller has registered \$1,500 Orange county bonds. They bear 4 per cent interest, mature in forty years, with a ten-year option and were issued for the purpose of repairing the jail of that county.

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great convenience, as they get about as much money for their cotton as if they had gone to the trouble and lost the time in having it ginned; and some times there is a lot of time lost in this manner, as several wagons might be in ahead and waiting their turn. So popular has this plan become that some times there will be more bales of cotton, loose in wagons, on the main roads, for sale than there are ginned bales. The owner sells it and goes on about his business, thus ending the matter and giving him time to go and attend to something else.

This is practiced especially by farmers who always sell when their cotton is picked, not waiting for the market to go up, and there are numbers who have tried this for years, saying that one year with another they fare fully as well as the man who waits for the bolls to get control, as the bears are apt to depress prices still further while they are waiting.

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The document is very long and contains no provisions of general public interest. In substance, after giving his wife the home place and furniture and other personal property connected therewith, he will providing allowances for her sufficient to enable her to maintain the home as long as she chooses, it provides that the remainder of his property shall be vested in trustees who are to manage the same as an unit until 1919.

The trustees are given plenary power of sale, investment and receipt of interest and minute provisions are made for allowances during this time to Mrs. M'CORD and daughters and to the younger sons who have not been engaged in business as long as some of the older ones.

The trustees are instructed to ascertain the advancements made to some of the older members and upon final division of the property in 1919, each child is to receive one share, and Mrs. M'CORD two shares of the estate as then existing, having reference to equalizing the children by taking into account the advancements made during the life time of Mr. M'CORD. The will throughout bears the stamp of Mr. M'CORD's careful business habits and strong sense of justice and equity.

The estimate of the value of the estate cannot be made at present, but inventories and appraisements will have to be made as required by the statutes of the state.

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LIFE AND DEATH ON THE RAIL

There was something particularly sad about the death of Samuel Lyman Thursday in this city. For a length of time exceeding the life of the ordinary man, he had been in the railroad business. For years he was a conductor, and followed the business from day to day, on and off the trains, a wave of the hand as a signal by day and a lantern at night. Old age came and with little to show for his long service, he drifted to this city where he accepted a place as watchman at a crossing. Employed to watch for others the danger that threatened, he was supposed himself to know that danger was ever near, but in an unguarded moment he stepped in front of the oncoming car and was crushed to death by the wheels of the heavy equipment. His life had been spent on the rail and he met his death there. He knew the danger and was a warning instrument to those who did not meet it every day, and at last he falls a victim to that from which he sought to save others. It was a pathetic story which the columns of The Telegram told, a story which can be variously applied.

Not only do dangers threaten from the railroad, but they are all about. You can see temptation every day, and you avoid it. You tell others that this red light or that red light means danger to them. You avoid it and advise them to. But there will come a time when you will not be so particular, and stepping within the glare of the red light you go down. You have failed for once to notice the trouble which you have always feared. It is because you have watched the danger so often that you think you cannot be overtaken by it. But you are not immune and you need the same care on your part that you advise others to exercise. It is the old story of the pace that kills. Avoid it on all occasions. You can do it, and you should. Had Mr. Lyman watched a little more in his own behalf, as he did for others, he would yet be sitting at the crossing waving the red flag for those who come from the east and from the west.

ALDERMEN AT LARGE

At the meeting of the council last night Alderman Lehane suggested that councilmen should be elected from the city at large. From a certain standpoint such a suggestion might be well considered, and from another it might not. From the standpoint of local self-government, there would be objection to the plan, as the people in each ward desire to have their personal representative in the council. They want to select him, and they want him to stand ready to watch every interest in that particular section of the city. They want to know they can go to him at any time with their ward secrets and be assured that he will guard every proposition from the standpoint of the citizenship he holds in that municipal division. On the other hand if councilmen are selected by ward voters from wards, they will look to their own ward interests to the exclusion of all others, and often the interests of the whole city are jeopardized because the nine men cannot be convinced that a movement is beneficial to them as well as to the wards which propose that movement. It is hardly possible the people will consent to elect all aldermen from the city at large, but as a balance wheel to those who look to their own wards to the exclusion of others, three aldermen in addition to the nine already comprising the council, might be elected by the city at large. They would owe allegiance to the entire voting population, and they would act for the whole city. Aldermen do not cost so much that three more in the council would be a burden on the tax payers, and in this way Mr. Lehane's suggestion might be put in effect. It cannot be done, however, until the next legislature meets. In the meantime let the people talk it over and see if they desire such a change. It can only be done if the people want it.

THE SIDEWALK QUESTION

The Telegram has for several days been printing interviews with citizens regarding the sidewalks in this city. That these citizens have a right to complain no man

What a sweet disposition! Born so? Or made so by Ayer's Pills?

can deny, and it is a question which every man should think of himself. It is individual. Every home has an owner, and every owner is responsible for his own property front. If he neglects to put a proper pavement before his place he is neglectful, not only of his own interests, but of the comfort of his neighbors. Every man desires to do as he would be done by, and he dislikes to walk on a muddy sidewalk of another. If the property is held for renting purposes the landlord is lax in his duty to his tenant if he does not provide that tenant with a proper walk. This improvement can be arranged with little expense, and it will pay big returns in the long run. The Telegram would like to see every property owner put in a sidewalk and The Telegram will print an honor roll if the work is started. If your neighbor puts down his sidewalk and is too modest to send in his name, send it in for him, and he will have a prominent place as a man who is willing to do the right thing. Who will be the Abou Ben Adhem of the sidewalk matter. Who will "lead all the rest"? It is necessary that sidewalks be put down. It is right.

Time has vindicated the wisdom of Governor Lanham in his veto of the appropriation bill. When he warned the legislators in April last that the estimated revenues for the next two years were not sufficient to meet the demands on the treasury which had been mapped out, the legislators answered with a sneer and built up a bill which carried an amount much in excess of what the comptroller had figured. The governor went through it with his pruning knife and cut out many items. Not only did he assault the general appropriations, but he did fearful execution with special allowances for individuals. All of the independent appropriations were disposed of with one fell swoop, and the amount of the aggregate was brought down to a point within reason. It develops that had this not been done, there would now be a deficiency staring the state in the face. Texas people do not pay up readily, and the revenues do not come in all summer in large amounts. The governor certainly had the proper view of it.

Fort Worth has just cause to be proud of her city engineer. That he is competent no one has ever doubted, and the recent calls upon him for professional advice from other cities shows too plainly how that ability is appreciated throughout Texas. His latest call is to assist the board of appraisement appointed at Waco to determine the value of the Bell water plant, which is to pass under municipal control. Mr. Hawley is one of the valuable officers of Fort Worth.

The remark of Mrs. Fish that Mrs. Roosevelt dresses on \$300 per year, and "looks it," is a compliment to the first lady of the land. It might be mentioned, also, that Mrs. Roosevelt does not spend her time in Newport dining with Lehr and his monkeys. Mrs. Roosevelt is a credit to the position she occupies, and the American people honor her for the magnificent manner in which she lives. A \$300 a year wardrobe may not fit in the class with the 400, but it is certainly appropriate in a democratic country.

It has been said that Hades is paved with good intentions. Houston Street in Fort Worth is paved with the promises of the Parker-Washington Company. If Hades is no better improved that Houston street, it is no wonder the preachers kick on you going there.

Don't overlook the fact that next Sunday's Telegram will include a colored supplement which will be as handsome as any ever issued in this country. It will be a magazine of Sunday reading which will interest you. Get a copy.

The regulars at Fort Riley will have a chance to see what real volunteers are when the Fort Worth Fenelices get to the maneuvers. Captain Carter has a fine set of young men and they are not only well drilled, but they are gentlemen to the manner born.

If each paragraph in the Corsicana Sun, urging united action to clean the streets, brought one man to work, there would be enough to make it a thorough job. By the way, we need a little sanitary work in Fort Worth as we go along.

The Telegram has been here twenty years and it will be here twenty years hence. It asks support of the people on its merits, and it promises good reading to subscribers and a large circulation for advertisers.

The city health officer of Beaumont is evidently a fellow with no faith in him. He wants to bar the Christian Scientists from healing the rich.

Did you read former Governor Hog's speech? It was a cyclone from the "storm tossed."

An Animal Story For Little Folks Mary and Her Little Lamb

You have all heard of Mary, haven't you? I mean the Mary that had the little lamb. Of course you have, and I am going to tell you a story about her and her lamb that you have never heard before.

Well, once upon a time Mary thought that she would go into the fields and catch some of the beautiful butterflies that were flitting about from flower to flower. She had a net that her big brother had made for her, and with this she tried to capture the pretty creatures that sailed about in the air among the flowers.

But, mercy me, they were all so shy they never allowed her to get within reach of them.

"I do believe that bad lamb is frightening the butterflies away!" cried



RAN AWAY AS FAST AS HE COULD.

Mary, stamping her pretty little foot on the ground. "I shall just punish him severely for it."

But the lamb saw that she was angry and ran away as fast as he could, with Mary right at his heels.

You would never have thought that a little girl could run so fast, and it was unfortunate for her that she did, for suddenly the lamb came to a pool of water, and he stopped right still as suddenly as he could.

What happened to Mary? She went heels over head over the top of the lamb and plunged up to her waist in the pool of water.

Of course she got wet to the skin. "But it taught me a lesson," she said the next day. "I shouldn't have wanted to punish that dear little lamb of mine."

And she gave him a real tight hug and made up.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

An Animal Story For Little Folks The Mosquito Is Found

The greatest excitement prevailed in Mosquitotown, for Eugene Mosquito had lost himself. Eugene was a stylish young fellow, who was last seen sitting on a cheese box in his mother's kitchen. Everybody started out to find poor Eugene, and his mother wrung her hands in anguish as she thought of what terrible things might have happened to her boy.

But, search high and low, no one could find him, and the mosquito's father's hair turned gray when some one declared that Eugene must have been run over by an automobile and stuck to the wheels.

"We will not give up the search!" cried the lightning bug gravely. "Come on, fellows! I'll lead the way."

They were gone a long time, but presently a loud cheer was heard, and



HE WAS A STYLISH YOUNG FELLOW.

they were all soon back at Mr. Mosquito's house, and there was Eugene in their very midst.

"Where did you find him?" asked the mother as she wrapped her arms around the truant.

"The lightning bug found me!" cried Eugene.

"Yes; he crawled into a keyhole. There Eugene had hid from a big spider," added the water bug.

"After I got in I couldn't see to get out," said Eugene.

"Until I came in and lit my trusty lamp," said the lightning bug.

"Hurrah!" cried everybody.

Molly Hunt's Temptation

[Original.]

"And now, Mistress Molly, I must bid you adieu. Your father, your mother, yourself, have merited the thanks of the Continental congress for harboring me, and you especially deserve my thanks for your kindness while I have been in hiding under your roof."

"Do you go direct to the Americans?" she asked, putting up a pair of tempting lips, inviting a farewell kiss.

"No. I go to the house of that Tory Andrew Moncrief to stop one night."

"And, pray, what will you do that for?" asked the girl, blanching.

"Margaret Moncrief, his daughter, is one of us," he replied. "I must see her before I return. She and I are warm friends."

The girl drew away. Instinct told her that when a man risked his life to meet a woman it was not friendship that led him to do so. The man called a goodby, and they had parted.

The next night a party of British soldiers appeared on the place of Andrew Moncrief and asked if a stranger had stopped there for the night. On being told that no one was there they searched the house, then the outhouses and at last came upon Lieutenant Otis hidden in the haymow. He was searched, and plans of the British fortifications at Trenton, with information as to the strength of the force defending them, were found concealed in his clothing. He was taken to the house of Farmer Hunt and led into the kitchen, where Molly was cooking supper. When she saw him she turned deadly pale.

"Good morrow, Mistress Molly," said the young man. "We meet again very soon. Some one has given me away."

Molly staggered, without a word, out of the room, turning her back to the soldiers that they should not see her face.

"Strange," said Otis, "that she should be so affected. But perhaps she knows the fate of a spy."

It was late when the prisoner was taken to the farm, and his guard concluded to keep him there over night. A sergeant in command went to the second floor and selected a room with but one window and one door. Into this room he thrust Lieutenant Otis, placing a man at the door and one underneath the window. Then the rest of the guard lay down on the kitchen floor before the great stone fireplace and went to sleep.

At midnight the sentinel below stood leaning against the house, his hands grasping his musket, his hat over his eyes. Presently he sat down on the ground, then fell over on his back. He was asleep. Suddenly he felt his gun slip from his hands and, looking up, saw Molly bending over him, holding a long knife, its point within an inch of his heart. He thought her insane, so wild looking was she.

"What do you want?" he asked.

Molly did not answer; but, keeping the point of the knife as near his heart as possible and her eye fixed on him, she drew a little away till suddenly she raised the musket and, pulling up the firelock, pointed it at him instead of the knife. Then she told him in a whisper to go before her, indicating the direction by pointing. Marching him to the house of a patriot whom she well knew she could depend on, she locked him up in the barn, and the man stood guard while Molly returned.

Going at once to an outhouse, she took out a ladder, raised it to Otis' window and, mounting, gave a faint pat. Otis' heart jumped within him as he went softly to the window and cautiously raised the latch.

"Come," said Molly, and she descended the ladder.

In the barn two horses stood saddled. Molly led the way with one, Otis following with the other, through a field to the rear, and making a circuit, they struck the road far from the house.

"Molly," said Otis, his voice trembling with emotion. "I owe you everything. If I get clear some day I will return to thank you. If a life of devotion will help to repay?"

"Oh, hush!"

"Molly, listen to me. Perhaps you thought that there was more than friendship between me and Margaret Moncrief. There is not. She is working with me and was to give me war secrets. True, her father is a Tory and must have got wind of my being on the place."

"Oh, no, no! You were informed on by a wretch, one unworthy to live a minute by your side!"

"Who?"

She was riding at a gallop, but she dropped her reins on her horse's neck and covered her face with her hands.

"Molly, sweetheart, never mind who gave me away. You have rescued me, and my life belongs to you. It will be a willing servitude, for my heart is also your slave."

"No, no, no!" wailed the girl. "I am unworthy of you. I thought you loved Margaret Moncrief and were going from me to her. I betrayed you. I am a selfish, fiendish creature. I put you in jeopardy of the halter, and the only hope I have for peace of mind is that I have undone what I have done."

She turned her horse's head and went galloping back in the direction from which she had come. Otis reined in his horse and sat looking after her.

"Molly!" he called. "Molly! I forgive you."

There was no reply except the dimming sound of her horse's hoofs as she drew farther from him.

After Cornwallis' surrender Otis sought out Hunt's farm, hoping to find Molly, but he was told that she had fled away and died. Her doctors said that she suffered from some mental strain that sapped her vitality.

GEORGE WORDER PLUM.

Weak Heart Nervous Prostration

Mrs. Dana Amasa Rose, of New York City, Suffered With a Weak Heart Which Lead to Nervous Prostration. She Was All Run Down, But After Taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey For a Month, She Was Well and Strong.

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CAUTION.—When you ask for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. Unscrupulous dealers, mindful of the excellence of this preparation, will try to sell you cheap imitations, and so-called Malt Whiskey substitutes, which are put on the market for profit only, and which, far from relieving the sick, are positively harmful. Demand "Duffy's," and be sure you get it. It is the only absolutely pure malt whiskey which contains medicinal, health-giving qualities. Look for the trade-mark, "The Old Chemist," on the label. Beware of refilled bottles and see that the seal over the cork is unbroken. The genuine Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is sold by all druggists and grocers, or direct, \$1.00 a bottle. Never sold in flasks or in bulk. Medical booklet, free for the asking. Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

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Advertisement for Farmers and Mechanics National Bank. Text: "Capital and Profits, \$265,000.00". List of officers and directors: J. W. Spencer, President; D. W. Humphreys, Vice-President; Ben O. Smith, Cashier; Ben H. Martin, Asst. Cashier; Mary J. Hoxie, Glen Walker, D. G. Hamilton, Paul Waples, G. H. Hoxie, M. P. Bewley.

Advertisement for Mickle-Burgher Hardware Company. Text: "111-117 Houston St., Phone 794. Fort Worth, Texas. Shelf and Heavy Hardware Seasonable Goods".

Advertisement for Freedman, a pawnbroker. Text: "The Licensed and Bonded Pawnbroker. Loans money on all articles of value. Opposite Metropolitan Hotel, entrance on Main and Ninth streets. Bargains in Misfit Tailor Made Clothing and Unredeemed Diamonds, Watches, Guns and Pistols."

Advertisement for Dabrah Storage Co. Image of a horse-drawn wagon. Text: "DABRAH STORAGE CO. JAMES W. COLLINS, Mgr."

Advertisement for Transfer, Heavy Hauling, Furniture Moving. Text: "1601 HOUSTON STREET. PHONE 65."

Advertisement for Removal Sale. Text: "33-1-3 off on all finished Granite and Marble Monuments now in stock. Get our prices, at The Ft. Worth Marble and Granite Works, BERGIN & BOWMAN, Props."

Advertisement for Lion Brand Stayso Washers. Text: "LION BRAND TRADE MARK. FRONT 2 IN. BACK 1 1/2 IN. STAYSO. ANTI-RUST FINISH. PATENTED MAY 27, 1902. Two For 25c WASHER CENTURY BLDG., EIGHTH AND MAIN SOLE AGENTS"

Advertisement for City Fish Market. Text: "City Fish Market. H. Tanner & Son, Props. Wholesale and Retail. 1016 MAIN STREET. PHONE 258. Fresh, Bulk and Canned Oysters. All kinds of Fish. Celery, Cheese, Shrimp."

Advertisement for Texas Anchor Fence Co. Text: "Texas Anchor Fence Co. Office Rail, Window Screens, Partitions. All kinds of special wire work done to order. See our work, get our prices."

Advertisement for Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules. Text: "Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules. A POSITIVE CURE. For inflammation of the Bladder and Discharge of the Kidneys. No cure so positive as this. Cures quickly and permanently the worst cases of Gonorrhoea and Gleet, no matter how long standing. Absolutely harmless. Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00, 3 boxes, \$2.75. THE SANTAL-PEPSIN CO., BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO. Sold by Weaver Pharmacy, 604 Main St."

Advertisement for Santal Midy. Text: "SANTAL MIDY. Standard remedy for Gleet, Gonorrhoea and Runny Eyes in 48 HOURS. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles."

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GRIDIRON GOSSIP AND GAMES FOR TODAY

Texas Makes Fine Showing in the All-Southwestern Eleven of Last Season—How the Big Eastern Teams Line Up. General Sporting News

The following foot ball games are scheduled for today. The scores of last year's games are attached wherever a game was played, the first figures going to the first named team:

IN THE EAST
Yale—Vermont at New Haven.
Princeton—Georgetown at Princeton.
Harvard—Maine at Cambridge, 22-0.
Pennsylvania—Lehigh at Philadelphia, 12-0.
Columbia—Union at New York.
Brown—Wesleyan at Providence, 5-0.

IN THE WEST
Chicago—Indiana at Chicago, 32-0.
Michigan—Case at Ann Arbor, 48-6.
Minnesota—Grinnell at Minneapolis, 10-0.
Northwestern—Monmouth at Evanston.
Wisconsin—Northwestern college at Madison.
Purdue—Franklin at Lafayette, 56-0.

ALL-SOUTHWESTERN TEAM
The following is the All-Southwestern foot ball team for 1902 as made up by H. W. Lanigan, sporting editor of St. Louis Star, and appearing in the foot ball guide this fall:
Right end—Hubbard, University of Texas or Davis, Sewanee.
Right tackle—Hargrove, University of Texas.
Right guard—Benjamin, A. and M. college.
Center—Glasscock, University of Texas.
Left guard—Le Moynes, Sewanee.
Neff, A. and M.
Left tackle—Lawler, Vanderbilt.
Left end—Wheeler, Sewanee.
Quarter back—Osborne, Sewanee.
Right half back—Leslie, University of Texas or Watson, University of Texas.
Left half back—Colmore, Sewanee.
Full back—Edgerton, Vanderbilt.

SUBSTITUTES
Right end—Campbell, Kentucky State college.
Right tackle—Brown, Sewanee.
Right guard—Barbin, University of Texas.
Center—Worthing, A. and M.
Left guard—Marshall, University of Texas.
Left tackle—Spencer, Kentucky State college or Turner, University of Kentucky.
Left end—Bryan, Vanderbilt.
Quarter—Duncan, University of Texas or Kyle, Vanderbilt.
Right half back—Spencer, Kentucky State college.
Left half back—Cantrill, University of Kentucky.
Full back—Deware, A. and M., or

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TONIGHT
"McFadden's Row of Flats"
Written to drive dull care away.
Monday Matinee and Night, Oct. 5th, **MR. TIM MURPHY AND COMPANY**
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N. B.—The curtain Monday night will rise at 9 o'clock.
Four nights, commencing Tuesday, Oct. 6. Matinees daily from Wednesday.

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Dec. 1—Boston Ladies' Orchestra.
Jan. 15—Thos. Dixon, Jr.
Jan. 22—Russell H. Conwell.
Feb. 15—Melvin Robinson.
March 10—Jacob A. Ries.
April 19—Mendelssohn Quartet Co.
May 2—Duro, the Mysterious.
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one. Little had been expected of the crimson in the opening game, because of the great gaps in her line and back field caused by graduation of her stars last year. But the new line men, though not thoroughly tried out by Williams, showed up as remarkable foot ball material. Nichols, a sophomore, was the most agreeable surprise of all, and he promises to develop into one of those spectacular end skitters which seem to have an affinity for Harvard. He scored all three touchdowns last Saturday.

Another of the pleasant early season surprises was that furnished by Pennsylvania. The Quakers finished the season strong last year, but the team work of her men last Saturday against Dickinson was remarkably good. The bad feature was incessant fumbling, but that is common everywhere at this time of the year.

Cornell's work from the beginning of the season has been fine and dependable. Captain Hunt frequently being obliged to make up individually for some of the raw work of his men. Hobart, a light team from a very small college, should have been smothered instead of merely beaten 12 to 0.

Columbia finds little to be proud of in the work of her eleven up-to-date. The men play raggedly, the offense is slow and altogether the New Yorkers come out of the game with a score of 19 to 0 against Wesleyan shows about the standing of Columbia.

The only surprise of the year last Saturday was the 6 to 0 game between West Point and Colgate. To be sure the Cadets had not started practice yet, but with the stars there it seemed highly improbable that some one piece of brilliant work would not have resulted in at least a single touchdown against so minor a team.

TEXAS' BIG SHOWING
Thus it will be seen that out of the men considered of the first team or substitutes there are five men from the University of Texas on the first team and three substitutes, while A. and M. furnishes two for the first team and two substitutes.

Mr. Lanigan says the following of interest concerning the Texas team: "Of the Big Four Sewanee undoubtedly played the best game and won the acknowledged leadership. Though it was defeated by the University of Texas in the early part of the season, this game could hardly be considered as affecting the final classification.

"Among the institutions in this section it seems that the consensus of opinion could classify as the Big Four the Vanderbilt university, Lewane, Agricultural and Mechanical college of Texas and Texas university.

"The University of Texas made a stronger bid for recognition than ever before, and with its open system, deserves credit for the showing. The athletic spirit there is rapidly advancing and it can be prophesied that this institution will be heard from in a better class than the past.

"The Agricultural and Mechanical college of Texas deserves special mention and earned the claim to being numbered among the 'Big Four' of the southwest by the ardent athletic support given the team. This team has been as well favored as regards financial support, apparently as some of the leaders of this section. The strong points in this team were its very excellent line work and its power to concentrate and execute 'close plays' with great speed."

Music and Drama

McFADDEN'S ROW OF FLATS
The specialties in "McFadden's Row of Flats," the great Twentieth Century comedy by E. W. Townsend and Glenn Mac Donough, which will be the offering at Greenwall's opera house tonight, are among the most novel and costly features ever presented on the stage. In the company are such well known actors as: Exposition Four, the Yellow Kids, Bobby Rolston, Jr., Joe Willard, Fred Reed, James E. Rome, Jerry Sullivan, Teddy Simmons, Marguerite Ferguson, Ada Boshell, May Baker and Libby Hart.

TIM MURPHY
The coming of Tim Murphy each season is a happy event. It brings sunshine with it. Murphy is the sunshine; he is the embodiment of clean, wholesome fun and good nature, he bubbles and effervesces with all the elements of good nature. He is everything that is great among the great actors of today, and this element of greatness has at last become so self evident that two other men equally great in their way have collaborated in the preparation of a new vehicle to enhance the charm of this truly American comedian. George V. Hobart and Edward E. Rose are sponsors for "The Man from Missouri," the new comedy in which Tim Murphy is to be seen at Greenwall's opera house Monday matinee and night, October 5th. Jim Broncho, "the man from Missouri," is a new type of comedian—a veritable Remington cowboy, visiting Washington for his first time. It is safe to say that Jim Broncho will soon take his place among the notable heroes of the American stage.

On Monday a special matinee will be given at 2:30. Monday night the curtain will rise at 8 o'clock on account of the crowning of the carnival queen.

GAGNON-POLLOCK CO
It is seldom that local theater-goers have an opportunity to see such a popular price attraction as the Gagnon-Pollock stock company in a repertoire of the latest metropolitan successes at the small prices of the 20c and 30c. The company at Greenwall's opera house four nights, commencing Tuesday with matinee Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. This successful company has pleased thousands throughout the country and their repertoire contains every element which the public demands at the present time. Miss Pollock and Mr. Gagnon, besides being clever in the dramatic line, are both the possessors of great trained voices, combining great range and beautiful quality, and they will render some of the latest songs at every performance during their engagement here. The opening bill will be the great sensational melodrama in four acts, "Sheridan Keene, Detective." Tickets will be admitted free. Tuesday night when accompanied by a person with a paid 30-cent ticket if purchased before 6 p. m.

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FLIGREE BALL STARTS TOMORROW
Thrilling and Fascinating Detective Story Will Start in The Telegram

The National Live Stock Exchange Association will hold its annual convention in Fort Worth, November 19. This association is composed of similar exchanges at Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver, Sioux City, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Indianapolis, Louisville, Buffalo, Peoria, Wichita and Fort Worth. Last year the convention was held at Pittsburgh.

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TO TALK ABOUT LEVEES
Fort Worth Will Likely Send a Delegate to New Orleans
The government of Louisiana has addressed letters to all congressional bodies in Texas requesting that delegates be sent to a national levee convention to be held in New Orleans October 27. Matters pertaining to levee improvements and extensions are to be discussed. It is the intention to take steps to better conditions along the Mississippi river, which will, in a measure, prevent spring floods along the valley there have done great damage in the past. Fort Worth will likely send a representative to the convention.

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"The Filigree Ball" is full of agreeable surprises to the reader and as the plot unfolds the reader is more and more fascinated and possessed of a desire to read the story all the way through in order to see its final ending.

Anna Katherine Green, who wrote "The Filigree Ball," won her first laurels as a writer of detective stories when she published "The Leavenworth Case." She has shown great talent as a writer all her life, and is one of the few American novelists who are liked as well abroad as in this country. "The Filigree Ball" is being issued in England, Germany and France and in each of these countries enormous sales testify to its popularity.

A review says of the book: "This is something more than a mere detective story. It is a thrilling romance—a romance of mystery and crime where a shrewd detective helps to solve the mystery. The plot is a novel and intricate one, carefully worked out. There are constant allusions to the main mystery, so that the reader cannot possibly imagine the conclusion. Unlike many mystery stories, 'The Filigree Ball' is not disappointing at the end. The characters most liked but longest suspected are proved not only guiltless, but above suspicion. It is a story to be read with a rush and at a sitting, for no one can put it down until the mystery is solved."

Watch for the opening chapters tomorrow.

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COTTON IS BADLY DAMAGED BY RAIN
Terrific Downpour in Brown County Means Loss of Thousands

Traveling Passenger Agent S. G. Hamlin of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railroad Company, returned yesterday from making a trip over the Frisco in the Brownwood country, and he tells a tale which shows that great damage has been done to cotton and other crops in the Brown valley by the floods that swept over that section of the state last Wednesday and Thursday. Rain fell incessantly for twenty-four hours and consequently all the low lands were flooded.

"I never saw so much damage from high water before in so short a time," said the traveler, concluding he said that the damage done to the cotton in the affected section was very serious. He said that the cotton which was in the process of picking at that time, possibly lost a considerable amount of the crop.

The traveler said he saw a splendid cotton crop in the year and had the cotton bolls open when they did the last year. The cotton was very satisfactory, and the amount of the state was expected to be picked the way from one-half to three-quarters of a bale to the acre, and he said that the loss of this week will probably reduce this materially.

Thousands of dollars will be lost to the farmers on account of the unprecedented rainfall which damaged the cotton. The rain, however, put the ground in excellent condition for fall plowing and farmers will take advantage of this to get their ground ready for sowing.

The rains did much good in this part of the state, except that cotton is retarded. Every other condition is benefited.

EXCHANGE MEN TO MEET HERE
National Association Will Convene in Fort Worth November 19

SPECIAL NOTICE
J. B. Wall & Co., druggists, Ardmore, I. T., give special attention to mail orders for drugs of any kind. Send money with order to St. Louis, Mo., or to J. B. Wall & Co., Reference, City National Bank, Ardmore, I. T.

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MINERAL WELLS WANTS THE LINE
Capitalists Signify Intention of Taking Stock in the Enterprise

Much interest is developing in the proposed interurban car line from Fort Worth to Mineral Wells, via the Confederate park, Azle, Springtown and a number of other small villages, a total distance of about fifty miles. The route as planned would take the road through a level, fertile valley the entire distance and very little, if any, heavy grade would be encountered the entire length of the road from this city to Mineral Wells.

The building of this line has been under consideration for a long while, and at one time the projectors made an effort to interest the Northern Texas Traction Company in constructing it. The matter was given some consideration, but as yet the Fraktion company has signified no intention of taking up the matter.

Attorney McCracken of Fort Worth, who has been back of the move, and who is possibly the most interested in the proposed line, is now at Mineral Wells prosecuting his pet scheme. He is receiving encouragement from the milled men and points along the proposed road, who agree to give money and right of way. It is stated here that the right of way has all been practically arranged for or promised for the owners of the land and that it looks very much as though Mr. McCracken will succeed with his venture to build the line.

Mr. McCracken informs The Telegram that one man has agreed to give \$50,000 toward building the line, and more if necessary to insure its construction. There are others who will make donations on up to \$10,000.

There is one report current that possibly the Arlington Heights company may be induced to take up the road and put it through, but this is not authentic.

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ALL VOTES RECEIVED THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY WILL BE PUBLISHED IN SUNDAY'S ISSUE

The first relay in the Marine Band contest closed at midnight, Wednesday, September 23. Between that time and Wednesday, October 7, at midnight, for every cent paid in on subscriptions to The Telegram, three votes will be counted. The contest continues to attract a great deal of attention and the contestants are showing their interest by continuing to do good work for the splendid prizes that have been hung within their reach. The time is getting short now, and long before the contestants realize it, the closing days will be upon them and perhaps an opportunity to win one of the prizes will have been lost.

The Awards:

FIRST—The young lady receiving the largest number of votes by midnight, Saturday, November 7, will be elected sponsor of the Marine Band of North Fort Worth, and receive a \$100.00 horse and buggy.

SECOND—The young lady receiving the next largest number of votes will be elected Maid of Honor of the Marine Band of North Fort Worth, and will be presented with two round trip tickets to the City of Mexico, Old Mex Co. These tickets are valued at \$175.00.

THIRD—The young lady receiving the next largest number of votes will be presented with a Seventy-five dollar Bicycle.

Conditions of the Contest:

During the contest, for every cent received by mail, or delivered at The Telegram office on a prepaid subscription in the city of North Fort Worth and suburbs, three votes will be counted for the lady of your choice until midnight, October 21, and one vote until midnight, Saturday, November 7.

During this contest the carriers' subscription price for The Telegram is as follows:

Daily and Sunday, one month in advance, 65c, counting the schedule number of votes for the popular lady of your choice.

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Daily and Sunday, one year, \$7.50 in advance, counting the schedule number of votes for the popular lady of your choice.

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Miss Mattie Cooper	67,750	Miss Clara Mosgaard	42,600	Miss Saunders	7,750
Miss Teulah Faulkner	59,950	Miss Nancy V. Johnson	35,300	Miss Margaret Henley	7,500
Miss Mattie	55,210	Miss Thelma Macfarland	35,300	Miss Nellie Williams	7,500
Miss Totie Bishop	52,240	Miss Minnie Hartman	17,300	Miss Neta Henley	7,500
Miss Lizzie Moore	50,860	Miss Kate Richter	17,275	Miss Eva Hollingsworth	6,400
Miss Berta Johns	45,400	Miss Nora Mudy	10,440	Miss Beckem	2,400
Miss Teabolla Nelson	46,740	Miss Cora Blank	9,000		

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COSTLY ATTENDANCE

(Original)

I was standing on the quarter deck (this was before the time of bridges aboard ship), working out of New York harbor, when a man came up the companion way, looked wildly about him and gasped in astonishment.

"Well, my man," I sang out, "what's the matter?"

"I don't know," he said. "How did I get aboard this ship?"

"You probably skulked aboard, but you won't skulk now you've got aboard. You'll work your passage."

You see, we had so much of this sort of deadbeat that we'd got tired of it, and I didn't propose to be humbugged. The man was well dressed—in fact, too well dressed to make a sailor or for him to stand heaving coal into the furnaces. I looked him over and made up my mind to make a cabin boy of him.

"Now, see here," I said; "it is too late to put you ashore. You know that or you wouldn't have shown yourself till later. I've got to take you to Liverpool. You go to the head steward and tell him to get what he can out of you."

While I was speaking the man seemed to be trying to recall something. Then he thrust his hands into his trousers pocket, then into all the rest of his pockets, evidently looking for money. Then he turned to me and said:

"Put me ashore."

"Put you ashore? I would without your asking if I could. I've got the mails on board, and I daren't lose an hour."

I was watching him like a cat and felt sure he was playing the emotions that would be expected of him under the circumstances.

"What am I to do, captain?"

"Do what I told you to do—go to the head steward for work."

He disappeared from above the companionway, and I heard nothing more of him till I went to my cabin, where I found a protest drawn up in legal form against my taking him to Liverpool and demanding to be put ashore. At first I was staggered, but I'd seen many a sharper dodge than that, and I assumed that the man had brought the paper aboard with him. I paid no attention to it and in a few days forgot all about the fellow, till one day he appeared in the saloon, where I was at dinner, and handed me a plate of soup.

"Used to waiting on table?" I asked.

"Oh, yes."

"Where have you done any waiting?"

"Summers—hotels."

"Like it?"

"It's the easiest job you could have given me, but it'll be rather expensive for you before my bill is paid."

"What do you mean?"

"I mean that every time I hand you a plate of soup it'll cost your company \$1.00."

I smiled good humoredly, being quite amused at the man's "gall." It was evident he was trying to bluff me into giving him a first class passage out and home again. Still the next morning I awoke before daylight and got to thinking about the fellow till I began to be worried. Caution said treat him as if you believed him. You'll lose nothing. Whereas if you don't and he's all right he may make trouble for you. But the matter had gone too far for me to retreat, and I took no action.

On the return trip, the second morning out, who should I see on deck dressed in a jaunty English suit, puffing a good cigar, but my shaghaired man.

"Good morning, captain," he said.

"What'll be the run today?"

I looked at him pretty steadily for a moment, then turned on my heel and went to the purser, who told me the man was down on the list as Nelson Brentwood of New York. I began to fear I was in for trouble.

Just before we reached New York, going into my cabin one morning, I saw on my bunk a paper. I opened it and read:

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To Nelson Brentwood, Dr.
Handing the captain five plates of soup \$5.00
Other services as cabin boy 5.00
Loss of time 4.00
Total \$14.00

I began to quake. I'd carried off some one, or rather, some one had got himself carried off to get up a lawsuit to bleed the company. However, there would be no use now paying any attention to the matter. I ignored it, though I confess it bothered me.

Soon after we were docked I was called on by the agent for a statement covering the case of Mr. Brentwood. I gave it and heard no more of the matter till the day before I sailed. Then I received an envelope addressed to Nelson Brentwood and a letter from the agent asking me to sign the communication in the envelope and forward it with other inclosures. The inclosures were an unrecipited bill of Nelson Brentwood for handing him five plates of soup at \$1.00 a plate and a check for \$5.00. The communication was a humble apology for taking him to Europe against his will. I signed the letter and dropped the package in the mail.

When I returned on the next trip I got the explanation. Brentwood was a graduate of — college and during vacations had waited on table at summer hotels. He had studied law and was a brilliant but unsteady man. He had been employed in a case in which he was the one man living so well posted as to handle it successfully and was sure to win. The opposing counsel had given him a supper the night before the trial, got him drunk and slaughaired him, paying a large bribe to some of the company's servants aboard my ship. The affair cost the company \$45,000, besides my bill for having a first class lawyer for a waiter.

F. A. MITCHELL

An Animal Story For Little Folks

The Terrier's Sad Fate

Willie Terrier was very proud when he had dressed himself up in his new clothes, and he was anxious to take a run downstairs and show himself off.

"I wish my master would send me on an errand," said he.

But his master did not wish to send him anywhere, although there was a letter that had to be taken to the police station by some one.

"I want Charlie Cur to take that letter," said the master as he stopped at the kennels and laid the letter on a box.



HE TOOK THE LETTER.

Now Charlie Cur was not around at that moment, and Willie Terrier began to think it over.

"Here's a chance for me to show off my good clothes!" he cried. "I'll take the letter to the police station."

So he seized the envelope and away he went.

"Now, wait until I read the letter," said the policeman as Willie placed the envelope in his hand. "The policeman read, and this is what he read:

"Dear Mr. Policeman—The bearer of this letter, one of my dogs, is no longer of any use to me. Please knock him in the head and throw him overboard."

Of course it was all meant for Charlie Cur, who was an old dog and had seen his day, and it is sad to think of Willie Terrier's fate. — Pittsburg Dispatch.

An Animal Story For Little Folks

Why The Animal Schools Failed

I wonder how many little boys and girls know why there are no schools in animal land?

Well, wherever there are schools there are school commissioners or a school board, which has charge of the schools and makes the laws to govern them.

When the animals decided to establish schools they selected a school board, consisting of Mr. Elephant, Mr. Kangaroo and Mr. Monkey, and these fellows held a meeting to agree upon their plans.

"What shall the animal children be taught in the animal school? That is the question," declared Mr. Monkey.



THE SCHOOL BOARD HELD A MEETING.

"Yes, that is the question," exclaimed Mr. Kangaroo and Mr. Elephant together.

"They should be taught to climb trees," said the monkey positively.

"All my relatives will serve as teachers."

"No, indeed!" shouted the other two in chorus. "That would never do."

"They should be taught to jump!" cried the kangaroo with emphasis. "All my relatives will be glad to teach them."

"No, indeed!" yelled the other two in unison. "That would never do."

"They should be taught to look wise," said the elephant, "and all my relatives will get as teachers."

"No, indeed!" howled the other two together. "That will never do."

"Well, what will do?" they asked as they looked at each other in perplexity.

"Teach them to climb," said Mr. Monkey.

"Teach them to jump," said Mr. Kangaroo.

"Teach them to look wise," said Mr. Elephant.

And so it was that none of them would yield, and when they saw there was no chance to agree they all became angry and decided not to have any animal schools at all.

Between you and me, I expect the animals are just as smart as they would be with schools run by the elephant, monkey and kangaroo. What do you think? — Detroit Journal

THE BISMARCK LETTERS

Correspondence Between Iron Chancellor and William I.

GLIMPSES INTO HIDDEN HISTORY.

Close Relations Between the Prince and His Royal Master Brought Out. Neither Was Much Impressed by the Capture of Mexico by the French.

An additional chapter in the history of New York and London by the Frederick A. Stokes company. It consists of the correspondence between William I. and Bismarck and other letters from and to Prince Bismarck, which have been translated from the German by J. A. Ford, says the New York Times.

These letters, it is stated, are published by the late Prince Bismarck's express desire, as he considered they would show better than can be done in any other way "the unique relationship which existed between him and his august master." The prince also desired that certain of his personal political letters, exchanged with his contemporaries, should be made public, as they were to serve to authenticate and supplement his biography. The prince himself selected these letters, which were found after his death carefully arranged in portfolios.

The capture of the City of Mexico by the French troops in 1863 did not apparently impress either William or Bismarck very forcibly, to judge from the marginal notes they made on receipt of the news. Bismarck on July 12, 1869, wrote as follows:

Your Majesty—I have the honor most respectfully to submit a communication I have just received from Rousier respecting the taking of Mexico and a report from Rothschild.

Remark in the king's handwriting: He is fortunate!

That William I. had a firm hold of the helm of state may be judged from a letter which he sent to Bismarck Jan. 27, 1873, reading:

I want to remind you, in connection with today's battle, that today is the birthday of my grandson, my second successor, if God so wills, which might perhaps be mentioned in a patriotic sense, if it could be made convenient.

Good luck to you! Make it very clear that the second downer house is abusing its rights and is working the ruin of the country; that the upper house has also used its rights and has placed itself on the side of the government, defect in the constitution; that here also the king has to consult his royal duty and works the machine without a budget until the account is subsequently laid before the second chamber and voted.

WILHELM.

How well Bismarck carried out his master's will and introduced the "patriotic sentence" can be seen in the following extract from a speech which he made the same day, Jan. 27, 1873, in the landtag. He said:

It is a remarkable coincidence that the discussion of this manifesto which is to be presented to our royal master takes place on the birthday of the youngest presumptive heir to the throne. In this coincidence, gentlemen, we see a redoubled call to enter the lists boldly for the king's rights, boldly for the rights of his majesty's successors. The Prussian king's office has not yet fulfilled its mission. It is not yet ready to become a purely ornamental decoration of your constitution, but to be a dead piece of machinery into the mechanism of the parliamentary regimen.

On Jan. 13, 1870, William I. wrote the following to Bismarck:

Unfortunately I have always forgotten to give you the Victory medal, which should properly have been in your hands first, so I send it you now as the seal of your world historical achievements. Your WILHELM.

Bismarck's reply shows that he was very grateful. He wrote:

Most Illustrious King, Most Gracious Master—I thank your majesty most respectfully and most sincerely for graciously bestowing on me the Victory medal and for the honorable place your majesty has been pleased to assign to me on this historical monument. The recollections which this impressed document will perpetuate among posterity acquire their especial importance for me and mine through the gracious words with which your majesty has been pleased to accompany the presentation.

With my self confidence experiences great satisfaction in the fact that it is permitted to me to see my name carried down to posterity under the wings of the royal eagle, which points out to Germany the path she must tread, my heart is still more gratified by the feeling that I am serving, with God's visible blessing, a hereditary master to whom I am attached with a full and personal love and to gain whose satisfaction is the reward I covet most in this life. With the expression of most respectful and unwavering fidelity your majesty's most obedient servant till death, V. BISMARCK.

That William I. was also grateful to Bismarck for the latter's services is distinctly shown by his majesty's letter of Feb. 27, 1871, dated from Versailles. He wrote:

I have been unable to come to you yesterday and today, so I take up my pen to congratulate you on the preliminaries to the peace which I again owe to your circumspection, resolute and persevering. Everybody except France is thanking you, but I most of all, and my thanks I herewith express to you in highest appreciation for this difficult work. If Bordeaux the French national assembly was sitting at Bordeaux I listen to reason, we shall crown what has indeed been a bloody, but a glorious and honorable work, which Providence set us to achieve. I thank Providence for granting me such an adviser and such an army! Your most grateful king. WILHELM.

The work is in two volumes. The correspondence with William I. is contained in the first volume. Throughout the volume is shown Bismarck's devotion to the king of Prussia and the latter's great ability to guide the policy of his kingdom and influence the politics of other countries. The letters furnish most valuable glimpses into the hidden history of the days of Bismarck and William I. Volume II of the letters, containing Bismarck's correspondence with other political personages, is equally interesting and furnishes the true explanation of many hitherto misty incidents of the past.

Things Heard In Hotel Lobbies

H. P. Brelsford of Eastland county, a member of the Texas legislature, is in the city today. "We have had good rains in our section of the state, and business is good in every line," he said. "The boll weevil has not reached us, but other reasons have obtained to make the cotton crop about half what it was expected. We have a good corn crop, however, and the farmers are beginning to turn their attention to hogs. The Fort Worth market is an attraction to them, and they will try diversification, expecting to profit by the packing houses being located so close to them."

Mr. Brelsford will probably stand for re-election to the house.

When Tom Eaves walked through the lobby of the Worth Hotel yesterday afternoon there were many hands outstretched to welcome him, and his pleasant smile showed that he was glad to be once again in the center of familiar scenes. For fifteen years and ten months he was a conductor on the Rio Grande division of the Texas and Pacific. His run was west out of Fort Worth, giving him a great deal of time in this city. He lived at the Worth when he was here, and was a familiar figure about that hotel. For a little over two years he has been on the eastern end of the line, running east from Marshall, but anxious to see his old friends in this section, he has taken a "lay-off" and is here for a short visit. "It all looks familiar," said Mr. Eaves last night. "Of course, I see that Fort Worth is much improved, but it looks like the old town to me. I see so many familiar faces and so many familiar places, and I enjoy being back."

Hunter L. Wilson, one of the best known life insurance men in Texas, is here. Mrs. Wilson has accompanied him and they will make Fort Worth their future home. "I think Fort Worth has a great future," said Mr. Wilson last night. "I have been living in Austin many years, and like that city, but in business matters Fort Worth appears to be the coming municipality, and I have decided to make this my home. Business has called me here numerous times in the last year and I have had an opportunity to observe the changes taking place."

Ed S. Britton, manager of the company store at Thurber, and Justice of the Peace A. H. Miller, superintendent of construction of the Texas and Pacific Coal company, are here today on business for the company. "The miners are coming back as fast as they can," said Mr. Britton last night. "We have heard from many of those who have been with us for years, and who left when the exodus occurred. They have been advised of the settlement of all differences between the union and the company and they are making their arrangements to get back to the old home. We have things running smoothly once more."

Joe Lee Jameson of Beaumont, manager of the claim department of the J. M. Guffey Petroleum company, was in the city yesterday attending the meeting of the board of directors of the Texas division of the Travelers' Protection Association of America. Mr. Jameson was state revenue agent during the Sayers administration and has had more or less to do with the politics of the state for ten or twelve years. The head of the Guffey company, with which he is now connected, is J. M. Guffey, the member of the national democratic executive committee from Pennsylvania. Speaking yesterday Mr. Jameson said he had recently visited Pittsburg and while there discussed national politics with Mr. Guffey. That distinguished democrat said that while he had his choice for president in the person of the New Yorker, Judge Parker, he did not see how he could deliver electoral votes from his state, therefore, he would allow those states which could have influence in the electoral college the privilege of selecting the nominee, and he would promise the full extent of the democratic vote in Pennsylvania to the ticket.

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And big enough for two."
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As farmers sometimes do,
If he could hire a cab an hour
And big enough for two.
This lad, knowing the best what is,
And being onto tricks,
Just brushed up to the phone near by
And called up

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WANTED—Boy with horse to carry papers in North Fort Worth. See Mr. Collins at this office.

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HOW DOES THIS STRIKE YOU?—Lot 50x225 feet, 20-foot alley, east front.

FOR SALE—One Eclipse hay baler,

FOR SALE—One fine Durham cow and calf, and one lady's side saddle.

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WANTED—Second hand delivery wagon with shingles.

WANTED—A good cow, one that gives three or four gallons daily.

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FOR SALE—Good 6-room frame house on west side, has hall, porcelain tub, sewerage, lavatory, two sinks, gas, electric, hydrants, large barn, two-story servants' house, lawn, nice trees, iron fence, cement walk, lot 57x100, east front, rents for \$30 per month.

FOR SALE—Our secret of success is in giving you better terms and better prices.

FOR SALE—\$100 for large three-room house, a bargain, 514 Ballinger street.

FOR SALE—One Eclipse hay baler, 5 1/2 ft. McCormick mower, sweep and sulky rake.

FOR SALE—Complete bakery, cheap for cash.

FOR SALE—In No. 1 condition and close in on west side, 6-room frame house, porch, bath, porcelain tub, sewerage, lavatory, 2 sinks, hydrants, 2-story barn, electric, gas, 2-story servants' house, lawn, large trees, cement walk, iron fence, lot 57 by 100, east front; price, \$2,700, easy terms.

A BARGAIN—Lot 50x120 feet, 12-foot alley, south front close to street car and ward school, located in southeastern portion of city; price \$250; \$19 cash and \$10 per month.

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For sale, close in, on south side, six-room cottage, hall, two porches, back porch screened in, bathroom, high ceilings, brick flues, in an elegant neighborhood, close to car line. Lot 50x125, south front, \$2,500; one-third cash, balance monthly.

For sale, a new five-room frame cottage on south side, reception hall, large porch on two sides of house, back porch screened in, mantel and grate, china closet, bathroom, porcelain tub, toilet sink in kitchen, brick chimneys built from the ground, two blocks of car line, nice stable, \$2,500; \$500 cash, balance \$10 per month.

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LOST—Horse, sorrel, ran away Saturday evening; last seen on Samuels avenue, suitable reward for return. Telephone Dr. Kibbie, Columbia bldg.

LOST—A sun shade to surrey on Front street near Union station, Tuesday afternoon. Finder leave same at this office; reward.

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For Sale—Five-room cottage, on west side, close in. Price \$1,500; easy payments.

Two four-room cottages, close in on west side. Price \$2,000 for both. Easy payments.

Five-room cottage, with hall, now renting for \$18 per month, close in on west side. Price \$1,950. It's a sure snap.

Five-room cottage, barn, chicken house, well, lot 50x120, corner. Price \$200; \$15 cash, balance \$15 monthly. At Riverside, close in.

Four-room cottage, on Samuels avenue. Price \$650. Very easy payments.

North Fort Worth—Four-room, new cottage, lot 50x150, near entrance to packing house, on Main street. Price \$1,250; \$100 cash, balance \$15 monthly.

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SAVED BY HER SISTER

MISS JENNIE M. LEE WAS DRUGGED WITH CHLORAL AND MORPHINE

Was a Victim of Hallucinations and Was About to be Sent to a Sanitarium When Her Sister Intervened

From the little town of Lowville, on the line of the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg railroad, in Lewis county, New York, comes a remarkable story which the most careful investigation has shown to be literally true. It is a narrative of deep human interest, in which an estimable young lady, suffering from disease and almost wrecked by powerful drugs, was kept from a sanitarium and her life and reason saved by her sister's faith.

The young lady is Miss Jennie M. Lee, of Park avenue, Lowville, N. Y., and her story is given as she related it to a reporter at her home a few days ago. "I suffered for a year from nervous debility and an anemia," she said, "and was confined to my bed a great part of the time. I was subject to terrible hallucinations and was afraid to close my eyes at night on account of the terrifying things I seemed to see. I was thin and pale, my appetite was capricious, and during the nervous attacks, I believe I was almost insane.

"My own doctor gave me up and several other physicians agreed with him that my case was incurable. They gave me morphine until it affected my heart and then administered chloral. There was not a single night in the year when I went to sleep without the use of morphine, chloral or other drugs given me by the doctor. It had been about a year when I was sent to a sanitarium when my sister saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People mentioned in a newspaper and to that fact I owe my present good health. I am now fully restored and weigh thirty pounds more than during my illness and have had no nervous attacks for over three years. I attribute my cure entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and am glad to give my endorsement to this grand remedy.

This case strikingly illustrates the power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People to cure so-called hopeless cases which do not yield to ordinary medicine. These pills act on both the blood and nerves and in this is the secret of their wonderful success. This is the reason why they cure such diseases as rheumatism in all its forms, anemia, neuralgia, paralysis, locomotor ataxia and many other disorders apparently different from each other, but springing from common causes. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all druggists, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, fifty cents per box, six boxes for two dollars and fifty cents, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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"He called me a boiled lobster," explained the complainant. "Well," replied the defendant, "he runs a red automobile, and he looks like one." "Discharged," said the judge.—Chicago Post.

BE ON GUARD, THE PROWLER IS AT WORK

Devoting Special Attention to Rooming Houses

LIVELY CALL FOR ONE

While Helping Himself to Contents of Dresser Drawer Sleeper Awakes

The annual fall visitation of crooks is upon Fort Worth. Thus far operations have been confined, in almost all cases, to rooming houses. The "prowler" is abroad and it is your hard fate to be denied the comforts of the home life, and to be immured in a 19x12 down a dark corridor, the best thing for you to do is to pawn all your valuables, put double padlocks and cross bars on your door and then sit up all night on guard over your other pair of trousers.

He is called "prowler" by the police because he is a particular kind of crook, whose methods resemble those of a prowling bear of prey. The occupants of rooming houses are his special prey, although he is not averse to turning a trick in a private house when opportunity knocks at his door, one thing is certain, he never knocks at your door. Another thing, he is easily frightened and if you happen to be awake and hear him in the room, or at the door, just utter a low "ahem," and he will know that you are awake and will quietly go his way. He usually counts on you to "play possum," even if you are awake, and there are very few men or women who do not play "possum" when they find a burglar in the room.

THIS MAN IS DIFFERENT But there is one young man in Fort Worth who doesn't pretend to be asleep when he finds an intruder in his room. About 1 o'clock this morning H. W. Withers, who stops at Mrs. Moroney's rooming house on Third and Rusk streets, was awakened. An attempt to chloroform him, he believes, aroused him. However that may be, he saw a man in his room engaged in rifling a drawer which he had drawn from a dresser.

When Mr. Withers awoke a handkerchief saturated with chloroform was over his face. The odor was so strong that it awakened him and the first thing he noticed was that the light, which had been burning before he retired, was out. He then saw the burglar bending over the drawers.

Withers promptly seized his pistol and opened fire, discharging three shots, one of which he believes took effect. The burglar dropped a pair of trousers and some money in his flight, but managed to escape with \$17 and a gold watch valued at \$50.

Less than a week ago this same house was visited by a prowler, who got away with \$17 in cash and other valuables belonging to Fred Legeler.

On Thursday night a rooming house at Fifth and Taylor street was visited. Entrance was gained by means of a window, which was pried open. One room was "turned inside out" and a 38-caliber pistol taken. The prowler must have been frightened away, for he overlooked a purse containing \$100.

On the same night the residence of Mrs. Virginia Lyles, 514 Burnett street, was entered, through a rear window and \$50 in cash obtained. In the same neighborhood recently there have been a number of small burglaries, but the crooks seem to be devoting special attention to the rooming houses, where, owing to the presence of strangers at all hours of the day and night, their work is rendered much easier than in the case in private homes.

General Manager Haines and the City Engineer Have a Conference

There was a conference yesterday between City Engineer J. B. Hawley and General Manager F. M. Haines of the Northern Texas Traction company, regarding the Main street paving. The condition of the street was discussed in detail, and it was decided that Messrs. Hawley and Haines go over the thoroughfare together, from Front street to Weatherford, and determine just what amount of work is necessary to put the paving in good condition. When this is determined Mr. Haines will have the work done at once.

Miss Bessie Price of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting Mr. F. D. Talbot, her father. Mr. Scott, from the country, has moved his family to Rhome. Miss Wilkinson has accepted the position as assistant teacher to Mr. Bain in the public school here. Mrs. F. D. Talbot and Miss Price visited Mrs. W. W. Talbot in Fort Worth last week. Miss Price will remain in Fort Worth several days. Miss Mattie Roberts has returned from Dallas. Dr. Cherry is making a trip into New Mexico. Miss Eva Lee Fairchilds is visiting her brother in New Mexico. Miss H. H. Hamright is visiting her sons in Vernon this week. Mr. Morris and wife, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Maggie, have just returned from Alabama. Mrs. Cleveland, having spent the summer here, has returned to Fort Worth.

REAL ESTATE MEN TO HOLD MEETING Secretary Evans Issues a Call for Session to Be Held in Dallas

A. N. Evans, secretary of the Texas Real Estate and Industrial Association, is today sending out to the new executive committee notices of a meeting of the body to be held at Dallas, October 7, at which time several important matters relative to the next convention are to be considered.

The accounts of the secretary will be audited by the executive committee, the list of members will also be revised, the place of the next meeting decided on and the date for the same. Secretary Evans said this morning that he believed the 1904 convention of the association will be held in Fort Worth, as he has heard from several of the executive board, all of whom favor this city for next year. There are one or two other places that want the convention, but Fort Worth seems to be the favored place for next year.

Another matter to be considered at the Dallas meeting is the manner in which Texas and Texas resources are to be advertised at the St. Louis World's Fair. Several plans have been discussed by members of the association, but yet no special plan has been settled on. Secretary Evans believes that the most feasible plan would be to levy an assessment of \$1 against each member, with which to defray the various expenses of the state, which is to be generally distributed among the visitors to the fair. There are now connected with the association over 1,000 members, and that number is rapidly growing. Secretary Evans believes that if \$1 is assessed against each member the fund thus raised will be sufficient to provide advertising matter to properly display many resources of the state. Already several plans have been suggested, and the Dallas meeting will adopt one of them or substitute a system.

The association expects to arrange with parties at the fair to see to it that the literature advertising Texas is judiciously distributed, but if this cannot be done, it will send a representative to St. Louis to look after the interests of the association in this matter.

Secretary Evans believes that if this feature is handled in the right manner the results will be effective and do much good in inducing homeseekers to locate in this state. Just at this time there is an endless amount of inquiry about Texas and if the association takes the right steps great good will be accomplished.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE At the recent meeting of the association held at Houston the following parties were elected members of the executive board for the ensuing year: First district, J. E. Carter of Marshall; second district, Sam Dexter of Palestine; third district, Forest Moore of Sherman; fourth district, H. H. Simmons of Hillsboro; fifth district, S. W. Roky of Corsicana; sixth district, C. J. Martin of Jacksonville; seventh district, L. Tilton of Seely; eighth district, L. E. Ward of Elma; ninth district, W. P. Gaines of Austin; tenth district, J. W. Alexander of Temple; eleventh district, Taylor McElroy of Fort Worth; thirteenth district, W. A. Miller of Amarillo; fourteenth district, J. Y. Barkin of Brownwood; fifteenth district, W. R. Pace of Cameron; sixteenth district, W. L. Bryan of Sweetwater.

The meeting at Dallas will be the first session to be held by the new board of directors.

AGAINST YELLOW FEVER. Precautions Are Taken by Nueces and Duval Counties. AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 2.—The end of the controversy between the civil authorities of Duval and Nueces counties with reference to the running of trains on the Texas-Mexican railroad was reached yesterday, evening. The Nueces health authorities consented for trains to run to Hebronville, provided the health officers of Corpus Christi would allow to go on the trains to see that no member of the party was allowed to mix with persons from Laredo or any other infected district.

The telephone was used by the governor to communicate with the authorities of these counties and for two hours the wires were kept busy.

TO INITIATE MEMBERS New Order of Knights of Columbus Is Growing Rapidly The new order of Knights of Columbus, recently organized in Fort Worth, is growing rapidly in the city and on Sunday night thirty-five new members will be initiated. The meeting will be held in Woodman hall on Fourteenth and Houston streets.

The Fort Worth council will go to Dallas Sunday, October 11, and will hold a joint session with the council of Dallas on that date. Over seventy-five new members will be taken into the Dallas lodge.

A CITY WITHOUT PEOPLE Dalny, Manchuria, Is Russia's Paradoxical Creation.

HAS ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS.

Transiberian Railway Needed a Terminus, and M. de Witte, the Russian Minister of Finance, Had It Built—Original Estimate of the Work, Which Has Been Exceeded, Was \$15,000,000.

There stands a little to the east of Port Arthur, on the Liaoting peninsula, the most remarkable city in the world, says a London cable dispatch to the New York World. It is Dalny, the new terminus of the great Transiberian railway. It is at yet a city without inhabitants. Save for masons and workmen, its streets are as deserted as those of a decaying village. In it the Russians are building houses and administrative offices for a population which is yet to come and are erecting great docks for a trade which does not exist.

Dalny is the paradox of cities. It contravenes all the natural laws of a city's growth. It was forced into existence not because men in the course of human progress found it convenient to meet and trade there, but because M. de Witte, the Russian finance minister, on the far distant Neva, ordered, "Build me a city." Dalny is the lifeless body of a city, but thronging citizens will vitalize it. It might be called the modern city of Aladdin—M. de Witte ruled the lamp—were it not that it and the railway whose terminus it is were built not in a night, but under tremendous difficulties.

The extraordinary fact is that this Russian railway, which has been one of the greatest factors in making Manchuria virtually a Russian province, was possible only by the labor of the Chinese themselves. And thousands of Chinese coolies, under hundreds of Russian architects, engineers and overseers, are building Dalny.

Politically England regards with grave apprehension the completion of this railway, which runs through the disputed province of Manchuria. Yet civilization and commerce must rejoice that the Chinese Eastern railway, as it is officially named, will bring the Pacific coast so much nearer to Europe. The Transiberian railway was a tremendous step toward bridging the gap between the west and the east, but it was comparatively useless until the Manchurian section was completed. It was necessary to have a large commercial town as a terminus, and M. de Witte conceived the tremendous idea of building one.

Dalny is the result. To the east its silent streets look out on Korea bay. Behind it to the west is the gulf of Liaoting, and to the southwest is the gulf of Pechill, across which the Tientsin steamers run. When China leased Port Arthur and the Liaoting peninsula to Russia she guaranteed that Talienwan should be a free port. Dalny is the city on Talienwan bay which is to be the free port in Russian territory.

Looking into the future, M. de Witte made every possible arrangement for the personal comfort and business success of Dalny's inhabitants. Streets, drainage and electric wires were laid down, electric lights and telephones were installed, parks, gardens, electric trams, municipal buildings, hospitals, schools, prisons, docks and jetties were provided before a single lot of land was offered to the public for purchase. The original estimate of the huge work was \$15,000,000, and it has been exceeded long since.

That Dalny will be peopled and will flourish is as certain as anything mundane can be. Its harbor is ice free, a great factor for success in north China. Newchwang, the only other Manchurian port, is frozen fast for more than four months in the year. Besides, Dalny is a free port. It is the terminus of the railroad, and it possesses all the conveniences of a modern city. Merchants who settle there will have nothing of hardship to fear, as if Dalny were an ordinary newly formed settlement. Radiating from the municipal buildings run avenues named after the various nations, and at the end of each avenue will be a national church.

The city has been and will be governed by the civil and not by the military authorities. It needs now no prophetic eye to see at Dalny trains from Moscow and St. Petersburg, carrying passengers from all over the world, running alongside steamers from Japan, China, America and Australia, passengers and goods having to be transferred only a few yards from train to steamer or vice versa.

Good Water For Gibraltar. Within a few weeks Gibraltar expects to have for the first time a supply of good water sufficient for all purposes and in all seasons. Above the bay of Catalan a wooden framework with a corrugated iron roofing has been built as a gathering ground for the water, far above any habitation and impervious to vegetation. A tunnel 2,025 meters long conveys it to the city. The idea is to enlarge this tunnel and thus to create an elongated reservoir which will hold 17,000,000 gallons.

New Russian Exposition. In November next there will open at St. Petersburg the first International Exhibition of Industrial Art in metal or stone products, including precious stones and jewelry. The exhibition is intended to make the public acquainted with the progress attained by Russian and foreign industry in these articles. The whole net proceeds of the exhibition will be handed over to the St. Petersburg Society for the Protection of Poor and Sick Children.

Century Building WASHNER BROTHERS. Eighth and Main Stick to Washer and Wear Good Clothes ..FALL.. Fashions For Men.. Ready-to-Wear Garments that are Artistic, Graceful, Faultless Fitting. THE correct fabrics for this season are either Fancy Cheviot or Worsted in mixtures or the new over plaids. The rough Cheviot and double and twist Scotch materials will be the favorites. Should you prefer solid colors, there is blue or black Cheviot, black Thibet and unfinished Worsted. Men's Fall Suits \$10 to \$30 Fall Hat Styles! Fall Shoe Styles!

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic has stood the test 25 years. Average annual sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c. Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent Package of GROVE'S BLACK ROOT LIVER PILLS.

ADVERTISES RAILROADS Board of Trade Displays Interesting Texas Literature. It is likely that the Board of Trade of this city is the first commercial organization of the kind in the state to make special efforts to advertise railroads generally. Secretary Paddock has arranged a large table in the center of the board rooms, on which may be found attractive railroad literature, time cards, and all sorts of printed matter furnished by the roads for the purpose of acquainting the public of what may be found along the respective lines in Texas and elsewhere. Roads that are not now represented in the Fort Worth Board of Trade may be by sending their literature to the secretary.

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IN MAYON'S VIOLET LIGHT

WHY will people live by active volcanoes?"

This question is involuntarily asked by the tourist who makes the trip to the Filipino town of Albay, extending from the shores of a beautiful tropical bay up the slopes of the burning mountain Mayon.

Should Mayon some day blow up—and there have been several warnings—there will be loss of life even greater than at St. Pierre when Pelee's top burst open. For Albay is one of the largest towns of the Philippines, containing 15,000 souls, and numerous small villages are within the danger zone.

A trip by boat to Mayon is one of the regular features of a Philippine tour. The volcano rises, a naked cone of blue and green and brown, from a plain thickly covered by jungles of bamboo, coco palms, mango trees and cane. Usually the bay is as calm as an inland lake, reflecting about its edges the coco palms along the beach. Beyond the palms, peeping out from the green forests of banana trees, are the grass thatches of the town's bamboo huts, with here and there the red-tiled roof of the more pretentious home of some Chinese merchant or local dignitary.

About Mayon's broken, jagged top float yellow vapors, sometimes hardly to be distinguished from the billowy clouds that blanket the upper slopes.

Stretching out for miles from the mountain's base are gigantic fields of abaca, or hemp, bread-leaved plants like banana trees, forming arched-over walks between their regular rows, through which the tropical sunlight barely penetrates with greenish glow.

It is the richness of the black lava soil that attracts the large agricultural population to this region. Hemp is the principal product, but almost every plant known to tropical climates flourishes here as in no other



MAYON VOLCANO—ALBAY PROVINCE

part of Luzon. The danger from the smouldering crater seems vague to the dreamy natives; at least they prefer braving it and leading an easy life to removing to safer parts where more toil is required to make the soil produce.

But their danger is great. Many times, even within the knowledge of living man, Mayon has burst forth and spread disaster for miles around. Only six years ago, in 1897, occurred one of its numerous upheavals.

On the morning of June 25th of that year, with little warning, violent earthquakes convulsed the region around, and a torrent of incandescent lava shot out of Mayon's crater, streaming down its base. Whole towns were destroyed, and only those residents who were fleet of foot escaped. The towns of San Antonio, San Isidro, Santo Mino, San Roque and Santa Misericordia went up in fire and clouds of smoke, while lava streamed down the streets, burning everything for miles on either side of its course.

As usual, the eruption was accompanied by a violent tempest that spread destruction where the lava could not reach. Over three hundred people were killed, while many more were so badly wounded as to be crippled for life.

For days the storm continued, with the volcano's crater as its center. The explosions inside the mountain were heard all over the archipelago, and even in Hong Kong. Thick electric clouds whirled around the mountain, shooting out brilliant flashes of violet colored lightning. For months afterwards a steady column of smoke rose a mile high, spreading at its top like a huge ghostly umbrella.

Mayon is sister to another volcano that rises out of the Lake of Taal in the Batangas Province. This other volcano also makes its presence felt as far as China and Japan. In 1616 this mountain, supposed to be about 10,000 feet in height, blew off its top and sent streams of lava into Manila and for sixty miles around. From traces still evident it is conjectured that this cataclysm was more terrific than any that has occurred within the knowledge of scientists.

The springs of mineral water about these two volcanoes have proved most beneficial to invalids, and health resorts are now being established there.

The Paradise of Boatmen

BOATING is one of the principal means of livelihood of the Filipino laboring classes. In all the Philippines there is only 100 miles of railway; almost all the transportation of products from the interior is carried on by means of rafts, cascoes, boats or small steamers. The country has been especially blessed with numerous navigable rivers, and on them the tobacco, hemp, indigo and fruits raised in the interior are brought down to the seaports, whence they are shipped on sailing craft and steamers to foreign countries.

The convenience of river navigation accounts for the backwardness of the people in constructing good roads. Wagons, such as Americans have, are entirely unknown there, the merchandise being transported from the plantations to the nearest river landings, never very distant, in old-

fashioned carretones—neavy carts with wheels of solid wood.

These conditions have developed river life a great deal in the Philippines. Many families live the year around aboard their cascoes—big craft similar to canal boats. They are towed up the rivers by steam launches, or pulled by huge sweeps, and, where the banks permit, by carabaos—native oxen. Those parts of the river too shallow for cascoes are navigated by dugouts, in which the products from the mountain regions are transported to the low lands, the highest points the cascoes reach. There the goods are transferred, one cascoe holding the contents of several hundred boats.

Another feature of Filipino river life is the ferries. At every road crossing a river has its colony of ferrymen, and passengers are usually taken across in small dugouts with outriggers.



FERRY AND BOAT LANDING AT CALUMPIT

Where Gossip and Work Are Combined

In the Philippines the natives do their own washing in a way peculiar to the country. Once a week the women gather at the riversides with the week's wash, and while they pound the clothes with a flat wooden club on a stone, they discuss every question of the day, from politics to village gossip.

This is one of the events of the week that lightens the labors of the Filipino housewife, wherein she combines profitable work with pleasure. Unlike the women of most other countries, the one subject they do not

Uncle Sam's Precocious Wards

THE lot of the Filipino children of the last ten years has not been a happy one. Few of them have not been forced to witness almost daily scenes of bloodshed and outrage. Schools have been woefully neglected until lately; still, few Filipino children over eight cannot read and write a little. Their brightness has often been commented upon by those who have been teachers in Luzon.

In the days of the Spaniards the public schools were a farce. Spanish teachers were appointed and received a fair salary for instructing the native boys and girls, but, as a matter of fact, they never taught.

The Spaniard who had received an appointment as a teacher would hire a native assistant and send him to fill his place, while he himself would spend his time in Manila or some

other large town, engaged in trade in a lazy sort of way. Once a month he might visit the school and spend half an hour there in solemnly asking the children who Moses was, or why Spain was the greatest country on earth. Then he would go away and not return for another month.

The schools were usually kept in small grass thatched houses, built at the cost of the municipality. There was no system. Each native substitute taught as he saw fit and as little as he chose. The children were grouped around him in a semi-circle, and to each one he assigned a lesson to learn by memory. Each pupil then repeated his lesson aloud, which, of course, caused a deafening uproar, but the teacher would only lean back in his cane chair and calmly smoke a cigar. Thus they learned to repeat whole chapters from Bible history, geography and Spanish history.



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An Interesting Enterprise Soon to Be Launched in New York

ON NOVEMBER 2 there will be launched in New York a new woman's daily newspaper. Every reporter, every copy reader, every editor will be a woman. Only one man, the business manager, will be seen about his office at all, although, as silence has been maintained with reference to the typesetting and printing, the compositors and pressmen may be men.

There is no such newspaper in America now, but Paris has one, and there is talk about a similar enterprise in London.

"All the news of all the world of interest to women is within its scope," says one of the women who expects to belong to its staff.

"The women reporters, who have been chosen from the staffs of New York's big dailies, will 'cover' the same assignments as their male rivals on the ordinary papers, and the women hope to 'scoop' the men often. Fires, murders, suicides, police court cases, railway wrecks, all will be reported by women.

"The new journal will be a 1-cent morning paper of ten pages or more," continues the fair writer, and in make-up, as well as in all things else, its aim will be to please both the feminine

eye and mind. Half-tone cuts of prominent women will be a special feature, and there will appear daily a fashion drawing in that important department which will be given over to the correct styles. There will be no Sunday issue, but on Saturday an extra section, known as the supplement, will be published.

"This paper will not be the organ of any one class of women. Its keynote is catholicity. Its appeal is to the world of women, and it will deal with all their interests. News, as such, will rank first in importance and be handled in the customary way. Like other morning dailies, its night hours will be strenuous."

There is no definite statement as to whether sporting news will be reported or not, but doubtless yachting, tennis, golf and the like will receive due attention. But how about prize fights? If the reporting of such events is to be added to the "doing" of "fires, murders, suicides, police court cases, and railway wrecks," then doubtless the "night hours" of some of the fair reporters on the new journal will be exceedingly strenuous. Down to the present time women have never been allowed to witness prize fights at all, but this ruling will have to be rescinded if the paper is to come out with its full complement of news.

"We shall beat the men," another staff member is quoted as saying,

hopefully, "because we are more tactful and not less energetic. It has been proved on the ordinary papers that a woman can get news which no man can get."

"A man is a blundering creature at best, even though he may be an experienced reporter. Imagine the sorrowful wife being called away from her husband's sick bed by the ringing of the telephone bell. She takes down the receiver and hears:

"Is that you, Mrs. Jones? Isn't your husband dead yet?"

"That's a man's way. Of course, Mrs. Jones slams the receiver on the book, and vows that she will never give any information to reporters who trample on corpses in drawing-rooms, as Kipling says.

"We shall be more diplomatic, more sympathetic."

As yet the newspaper is nameless and will continue to be, as far as the public is concerned, until the day of publication. In order to secure a good name the management has opened a prize competition which all women are invited to enter. The name believed to be the most appropriate will be selected by the committee having the matter in charge, and a prize of \$100 will be given to the winner.

As managing editor—not "editress"—Mrs. Jane Pierce will be head of the staff. She is well known to club and newspaper women in New York. The

city editor's name will not be announced until the publication of the paper. The night editor will be Miss Minnie J. Reynolds, who has gained a reputation in the West as a newspaper woman—her work having been done in Denver.

Another Western woman on the staff is Mrs. Katherine Prindiville, formerly of Chicago. She will conduct the departments of art and music. Miss Flora Mai Holly will contribute a weekly literary letter, and a daily half column of literary news. In addition Miss Holly will be in charge of dramatic news and criticism. Miss Grace Colburn will conduct the departments of philanthropy and sociology, and Mrs. Laura Jackson McMasters, daughter of J. R. Jackson, an iron and steel manufacturer of Pittsburg, will edit the Saturday supplement. She is a Vassar graduate and prominent in New York social and club life. Mrs. Emma Paddock Telford, of Brooklyn, a well-known writer on domestic topics, is to have charge of the home magazine page.

Miss Elizabeth Gannon, a young Philadelphia woman, will write about the latest things seen in the shops. All that is newest and smartest in fashions will be told by Miss Anna Marble, and sketched by Miss Florence Adele Westcott.

In connection with this paper an employment agency will be conducted on original lines. Mrs. Lowell Talbot is to be the manager of this agency, which purports to simplify the problem of engaging servants.

Servants who wish to have their names enrolled on the books of the employment agency must first only have good references, but wait until these references have been thoroughly investigated by Mrs. Talbot and her assistants before they can make application for a position. After the servant has shown that she is all she claims to be, she will be permitted to advertise in the "Situation Wanted" columns of the paper, and her name will be entered in the agency books.

On its financial side the paper is to be under the management of Hayden Talbot, who originated the scheme. He will be the only man about the establishment. The institution is incorporated under the name of "The Woman's Daily Publishing Company," and is capitalized at \$500,000. Its stockholders are both men and women, the latter having preference in the allotment of stock.

The paper has the support of such prominent personages as Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Miss Helen Gould, Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, Mrs. Lillie Devreux Blake, Miss Helen Varick Roswell, Mrs. Clarence Burns, Mrs. Alice Fischer Harcourt, Mrs. Edward Lauterbach, Mrs. Dore Lyon, Mrs. Donald McLean, Mrs. W. Gerry Slade and Mrs. A. M. Palmer; while the names of hundreds of women less prominent but equally interested swell the subscription list.

Serpentine Seasons.

"No," said the snake, lazily watching Adam and Eve plodding out of Eden and going over the hills to the Poor House, "no, one swallow doesn't make a summer, but it makes a pretty good fall, just the same."

How Creole Girls Get Their Pocket Money

THE American tourist is a god-send to nearly all classes of people in the West Indies, from the negro, who sells strings of gaily-colored native beads, to the girl of good family who earns her pocket money by making the much-admired fern and lace-bark work which all Americans who visit the Caribbean islands take home with them as souvenirs.

This fern work is pretty and effective. Such articles as table centers, handkerchief sachets, glove sachets, lamp shades and doilies are made of it. All but the doilies are made of white satin, with golden, silver and dark green ferns pasted in pretty designs on the material. A piece of white lace bark is then stretched across, and the article is complete.

This lace bark is a fibre that comes off the inside of the bark of a West Indian tree. It is very like a fine net, and so pretty that the negroes sometimes trim their hats with it.

These articles sell like wildfire when an American tourist ship is in port. Sometimes there are not enough to satisfy the demand, and girls who are anxious to get a new dress often sit up all night making more doilies for the next day. They know that they will get a good price for their work, for the Americans are proverbially free with their money. There is a saying among the West Indian negroes that "Merican got money, but him no mean."

Dress of the Filipino Women

It is the general belief that the women of the Orient are clothed in flowing robes of gorgeous colors. The dress of the Filipino woman does not flow. Nowhere in the world, either in the Orient or Occident, do women array themselves more simply than in the Philippines, and nowhere is there less difference in dress between poor and rich.

A light chemise of maguay cloth or pina, the sleeves of which are but a few inches long, and a simple skirt of cotton or silk, gracefully folded about the waist almost like a turban, constitute the Filipino woman's wardrobe. On going to mass she adds to this a peculiar water-proof shawl, black outside and royal purple inside, one corner of which comes over the head like a monk's cowl. All classes alike wear heelless slippers without backs, called chinelas, that give the Filipino women's walk a peculiar shuffle known in no other country.

What Adam Escaped.

Adam never lost an umbrella. He never blew down the muzzle of a loaded gun. He never passed a plugged quarter on the minister. His wife could never threaten him with his mother-in-law. He didn't have to tend the furnace. Adam never rocked the boat. And he never squandered his week's wages on a ten to one shot and then lied out of it.

King Henry's Vocation.

"Really, Sir," said the Minister of State to King Henry VIII, "it's too bad the telephone isn't invented yet. What a grand hello girl you would make!"

"Indeed?" said the King. "And why pray?"

"Because," said the Minister with a senile giggle, "you are such a bird at cutting people off."

A Playwright's Way.

William Gillette, the playwright, says that he has no "theory" about his work. He tries to produce what the public will pay for and be satisfied with, and he considers this a better plan than to strive to reach an impossible ideal.

Book Marking As a Test of Character

"A MAN is known by the company he keeps" has its offset in "a woman is known by the books she reads"—truisms that might have been true once upon a time, but are not always quite satisfactory in this progressive age.

A man's company may be forced upon him by circumstances, not by choice. The books with which a woman surrounds herself and among which she browses now and then may be gift books, perused from a sense of duty to the donor, from a desire to keep up with the literature of the day, or from the fear of being discovered an ignoramus by the woman she dreads.

It is the book a woman marks that is the only true index to her character. This conclusion has been arrived at after a long and persistent study of the sex.

A woman never marks a book openly as a man does, with a flourish of marginal notes and references conveying the impression that he is conversant with other books besides this one. He who has a pencil always handy will think nothing of using it on any and all occasions.

But a woman never owns a pencil. If she does, it is a cast-off stump thrown aside by her husband or brother, moreover, it is never at hand when wanted. She has always as not, finds it in the crevice of her sofa or tucked away into a corner of her handkerchief box.

Do you begin dimly to perceive what it means for a woman to mark a book?

Her ardor, which glowed over cer-

tain passages, has had plenty of time to cool before the recreant pencil is found, and unless she is very much in earnest she will not use it even then. If she does, you have the inmost secrets of her soul laid bare before you.

It is like entering the holy of holies to read books that some women have marked. It is a violent rending asunder of the veil which she hangs before the door of her heart.

The marks with which a woman scores her favorite passages at eighteen will be effaced at twenty; and she must have changed but little to leave those of twenty uneffaced at twenty-five.

Very young girls will mark the same passages in Lucile or Aurora Leigh. "When a woman once feels that she is not alone" is the one that receives the heaviest underlining. A little later it becomes a faint line, and "We may live without love—what is passion but pining?" receives the pencil's approbation.

Left-Handed Philosophy.

They talk about sins of omission and commission, but there's a good deal of good accomplished by not sinning either way.

There is a subtle difference between the suppression of truth and the open falsehood, but it isn't visible to the naked eye.

Virtues, like vegetables, if they are kept cold are apt to last longer.

HARRY P. TABER.

These Workers Must Wear Woolens.

The laborers in alkali works have to wear woolen clothing. The alkaline gases destroy cotton in forty-eight hours.

WHEN THE PLAYER FOLK WORK HARDEST



AROUND THE PROMPT TABLE

THE COMEDIAN MAKES LOVE TO THE LEADING LADY

It's in the Summer and Early Fall, at Rehearsals

GEE," said a boy, as he read the sign, "Closed until September," on the front door of a theatre. "When I'm a man I'm going to be an actor."

"Why?" asked his father.

"Cause they haven't a thing to do all summer long," was the reply.

The boy was wrong. Actors are a very hard working lot of people during the time between the closing of the theatres in late June and their reopening throughout September. For then they must prepare for the entertainment of the public when cool autumn days send them back to town. Summer is the only time available for this task; the rest of the year is taken up in appearing in doublet and hose before the footlights.

So it comes about that New York, as the theatrical headquarters of America—the spot from which nearly all of the traveling companies of player folk diverge—is filled to overflowing every summer with actors busily engaged in rehearsing their parts for the coming productions. During the latter part of July, all of August and the first week of two of September this year every theatre and every hall in New York was occupied all day long by companies rehearsing their new plays. Even now many companies, whose initial performances are scheduled for later in the month, are still rehearsing hours every day, and working harder than ever they will when they finally offer their productions to the judgment of the capricious public and the critics.

According to one of the leading theatrical managers of the metropolis at least 7,000 actors, making up 500 companies, have been rehearsed this season in the western world's historic center.

"These figures," he said, "are exclusive of concert and other companies of a similar nature; and hundreds of such organizations have been drilled here. In fact, it has been the hardest kind of work for all of us to secure suitable quarters for our rehearsals, so much in demand was any room ever so slightly fitted for this purpose. But, happily, the hardest part of our year's work is now almost over, and we'll have a chance to rest up a bit before next rehearsal season."

That's the way the actor also feels about rehearsals. To him it is the hardest, as well as the hottest, work he has to do the year through. But among all the disagreeable features of rehearsals—and they are by no means few—there is one thing that stands out in bright relief. The player who knows how to relish other people's foibles and is capable of recognizing unconscious humor when he hears it, can make this task much easier for himself by giving heed to the actions and words of his fellow sufferers in the dim, disheveled theatre, with its stage minus all the gorgeous trappings that the public sees. This is in evidence just before the hard work begins.

The leading lady, a veritable fashion plate from the French heels of her boots to the flat hat on her head, is silhouetted for an instant in the open stage door, and then walks condescendingly up to a group of the principals, seated around the piano while waiting for the arrival of the rehearsal.

"My," she begins, "do you know I'm disgusted—thoroughly disgusted with horseback riding. Here I've been spending my time the last two weeks riding the finest thoroughbred at Newport."

"Bet it was an old nag," whispers the second lady.

"To reduce my flesh. But what the devil do you think? I actually gained five pounds!"

"Where the deuce is that rehearsal?" breaks in a masculine voice.

"Doesn't he think we ever eat lunch?"

"That reminds me," speaks up the little, black-haired caricature, who has been engaged for the funny role, "when I landed in Frisco, the hun-

I had just one-fifty in my clothes, and no place in prospect, so when I went into the first restaurant I ran across I said to myself, 'Only coffee and rolls, old man—only coffee and rolls.' 'I stuck to it, but the waitress would bring me cantaloupe—the most luscious piece of fruit I've ever seen. Sorrowfully but heroically, I sent it away. Then she kept calling my attention to porterhouse steak, Spanish omelette and griddle cakes. I told her I had been traveling and was car sick. After that she suggested broiled salt mackerel. I told her to mind her business. When the bill came in it was \$1. It was a table d'hote and I might have eaten the bill of fare from the start to finish."

The funny man tried hard to look unconsciously grotesque. For a few minutes no one spoke. The silence was broken only by the intermittent thrumming of the musical director on the piano, and the shuffling of feet as one girl gave her partner a little preliminary instruction in a new step. Then apropos of nothing the character woman, who had entered with a great swish of skirts, thereby causing several of the women to sniff contemptuously, turned to the leading man, who, in a biased sort of way, was tapping his boot heels with his cane.

"Well, all I've got to say," she said, fanning her red face vigorously, "all I've got to say is this: When Charlie Frohman sent for me and told me to name my salary, I said to him: 'Charlie, not one step without my husband!'"

"Ugh!" grunted two women in choruses.

The leading man smiled indulgently.

"When I made my big hit down

own terms, meekly did as the little man at the prompt table bid; and, holding their parts in their hands, the company began its rehearsal.

Everything went well until the French count began making love to the American heiress. With a noise somewhat akin to a warwhoop, the rehearsal jumped to his feet.

"Great Scott!" he yelled—only he said something more profane—"is that the way you'd make love? You're acting like an iceberg. Grab her hands

and get close to her—she'll not scratch your eyes out."

The lower moved closer. Then the heiress advanced to the center of the stage to tell the count, in song, why she could not promise him to be his bride. She had just got fairly launched in her explanation when the musical director threw up his hands in despair:

"A voice like a—like a—like a—"

But he was so filled with the horror of it all that the smile would not come.

"Miss Tessie," shouted the rehearsal a minute later, "you can't giggle worth a darn!"

Miss Tessie blushed, then tried



THE PRINCIPALS GET TOGETHER



REHEARSING THE SONGS



THE MANAGER INSTRUCTS THE COMEDIANS

The Queer Navy of Liberia

"I've seen some queer warships knocking about the world," said the skipper of a tramp steamer, "but the queerest was the navy of the Republic of Liberia, on the west coast of Africa.

"When I knew it, some years ago, it consisted of one little paddle-wheeler, which had formerly been a 'penny steamboat' on the Thames, carrying Londoners from pier to pier along the river for 2 cents a head.

"When it wasn't stuck on a sandbank or laid up for repairs, the Liberians used it to patrol the remotest creeks and bays along the coast and collect taxes from uncivilized natives.

"Once these natives captured it and demanded a big ransom for its release. Another time the captain aroused the wrath of a white trader on one of the rivers by firing a salute early in the morning and spoiling his sleep.

"The trader came off in a canoe with his Winchester rifle and a couple of armed natives.

"Look here!" he told the captain. "If you do that again, I'll capture your blessed old iron pot and sink it."

How to Cook and Serve Tomatoes

THERE is no more beautiful vegetable or fruit than the tomato. Although classed among garden vegetables the tomato is really a fruit of the vine. When first introduced in America as an article of food, about seventy years ago, tomatoes were called "Love Apples," and were looked upon more as objects of curiosity than as articles of food. It was many years before the tomato began to be generally used, even after its first introduction here. It was many years more before people really learned to appreciate its value as a food product, and it took a long time for the women of America to learn how to cook it.

Of all people in this country engaged in the growth and cultivation of garden truck the Italian grows the finest tomatoes. It is no infrequent thing to find tomatoes grown by Italians weighing from three-quarters of a pound to a pound each. The Feejee, commonly called the beefsteak, tomato is considered the best variety yet grown. No matter how used, as a salad, baked, stewed, broiled, fried, escalloped, in catsup or eaten with a little salt just as it is picked from vines, there are very few more delicious articles of food.

The malic acid of the tomato is one of the best known curatives for bilious conditions. Settlers in the far West, before fruit trees and bushes had time to grow, could scarcely have lived without the tomato. For seasickness there is nothing better than a raw tomato well seasoned with salt.

In serving tomatoes as a salad, or in cooking them, always remember one thing—they require a great deal of salt. Americans used to be quite contented to depend upon the garden and field growth of tomatoes for their tables, having them fresh only during the summer season, but so extensively has the liking for them grown, that there is no longer a special tomato season. The whole year is one perpetual season, and every day in the year in all parts of the United States it is quite possible to have fresh tomatoes on one's table, either from the Southern States or from the new island possessions of the tropics, or grown in hot houses. The hot house product is fine to look at, but it has neither the quality nor the flavor of the garden-grown tomato.

The two best ways of serving tomatoes as a salad are with mayonnaise and mixed with lettuce with a French dressing. Directions are here given for preparing both.

Tomatoes Mayonnaise.

Select good, solid, medium sized tomatoes, not over-ripe, lay them on the ice for a couple of hours, then peel them with a very sharp thin knife (do not scald them). When peeled lay them in a salad bowl, cut them across the top in quarter sections, almost to the stem, but do not sever them. After cutting, stand them in the refrigerator in the salad bowl while you make the mayonnaise, then take the bowl from the ice box, put a thick border of water cross around the tomatoes, stick a spray in each tomato, season them well with salt, and pour half a teaspoonful of tarragon vinegar on each tomato. Serve at once with the mayonnaise in a separate dish.

Tomato and Lettuce Salad.

Prepare the tomatoes just as for mayonnaise, border them with crisp lettuce leaves, make a French dressing with a dash of mustard added and an extra amount of salt. Pour it over the tomatoes and serve.

The ORNAMENTED LOUNGING ROBE IS FASHION'S LATEST WHIM



BATH ROBE OF LAVENDER EIDERDOWN

DRESSING GOWN OF PALE PINK RIPPLE EIDERDOWN

PEIGNOIR OF SAPPHIRE BLUE INDIA SILK AND LACE

THE bath-robe has its limitations. It is essentially an article of utility, and as it appears to-day, in crash toweling, with simple cord and tassel, it is nothing more or less than a survival of the fittest. The fashion reached this country by way of England from far-off Turkey some two decades ago. But outside of the fact that the old Turkish toweling has been replaced by superior linen crash of English make, and that American designers have contrived new combinations of colors, the Turkish bath-robe has remained impervious to the capricious dictates of fashion. But even crash toweling admits of

inal effects in the usual line designs and borders. Instead of using, as before, the conventional towel patterns, a successful and laudable effort has been made to create new and charming bands of contrasting colors. The body of the robe is of a deeper and richer cream—the rare old linen tint that suggests the mellowness of antique lace—and a striking border effect is given by the horizontal lines of two or many colors, the same effect being carried out on the turn-over cuffs and collar.

A New Purple Shade.

A number of bath-ropes are seen in linen crash of the new purple plum shade, with vividly contrasting lines of crimson and green; or the entire robe consists of alternate bands of delicate pink and blue. Then, again, in a sort of blend, the seven colors of the rainbow are seen.

hanging in voluminous folds, caught at the waist by a linen cord and tassel. For some unaccountable reason, these otherwise sensible garments are supplied with hoods, which are never used. They are a survival of that period, a few years past, when the crash bath-robe was in service at fashionable watering places to throw over the bathing suit after a dip in the ocean.

Oriental Sandals Are Used.

The Turkish outfit, to be quite correct, should be completed by a pair of sandals of the conventional Oriental pattern to match the coloring of the robe. It would never do, even in the privacy of the boudoir, to violate the dictates of absolutely correct taste in this little matter, especially as these Turkish sandals are extremely pretty and inexpensive.

Eiderdown bath-ropes, although modeled on the same pattern, are

delicate tints, as well as in serviceable browns, grays and reds. When used as bath-ropes they are without lining or trimmings of any kind, except the worsted cord and tassel. On the other hand, when destined to see service as peignoirs, they lend themselves with much elegance to many charming variations of style and texture. They are even permissible at the breakfast table, and as a comfortable and pretty wrap for an invalid or convalescent they cannot be rivalled.

An Exquisite Peignoir.

A "shut in" elderly woman, received her friends not long ago, on the occasion of her birthday, in an eiderdown peignoir of an exquisite lavender tint, most charmingly decorated with a large border of Honiton braid. The flaring bell sleeves were also trimmed in Honiton loops, and a richly carved pearl button fastened the collarless neck. The peignoir was

proved upon by a sort of Watteau effect, brought about by tucks and shirings; or it is made with an empire yoke, which allows some fullness in both front and back.

A kimono is distinguished from a Japanese wrapper by a silk sash bound under the arms, while the Chinese wrapper differs from the Japanese by having a center front seam, and being fastened at the right side under a wide band of embroidery.

The term "peignoir" admits of a certain elasticity of interpretation. It may be an informal house dress, or even the elaborate tea gown, in which friends can be received and afternoon tea served.

The Etiquette of Negligees.

There is, and there should be, a distinction between the peignoir or matinee and the tea gown. The former admits of the low negligee neck and

in the finish of the neck and sleeves. A matinee or peignoir is never worn after noonday or at luncheon. A tea gown is not donned before 4 o'clock. Between luncheon and the hour for serving tea a woman who aspires to correct gowning wears a house dress.

A Parisian Matinee.

I had an opportunity of carefully examining an exquisite Parisian-made peignoir or matinee. It was constructed of sapphire blue India silk with all-over insertions of point de Milan, the skirt being finished by an edging of the same lace. The skirt was accordion pleated, or "sun-rayed," as it is called nowadays, and fastened to a yoke covered with a capeline of tugged silk and lace, closed by a graceful pendant of lace. The sleeves were finished at the elbow with a knot of ribbon and a deeply-pointed pleated ruffle. A streamer of ribbon fell from the neck, decorating the side of the peignoir in

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A Sailor's Yarn

(Original)

The storm was over, the sun went down in a flame of gold and crimson, and as soon as the crew had been propped up after a long fast and every moment fighting to save the ship we set about repairing what damages we could before night came on and making things taut. Then, halving the watches that all might get some sleep within the first four hours, six of us kept awake while the other six slept. We were ten before the mast, besides the captain and a mate.

I on watch sat on a water cask, for I was too tired to stand and after fighting sleep as I had not fought the wind and waves had just lost myself, when I was aroused by the most unearthly shriek that ever had sounded in that good old ship. It not only awakened me, but the rest of the watch, the helmsman included, and those below came tumbling up from the fore-castle, while the captain's head stood out wonderingly above the companionway.

"Who's hurt?" he cried.
 "No one on deck," replied the mate.
 "How is it with you from below?"
 "We're all right." There were five of them. On deck were the other five sailors besides the captain and the mate. As soon as it was known that all were present a fear fell on the men, the mate, on all except the captain. At any rate if he was frightened he didn't show it, though the affair nettled him.

"What are you standing there for like a sack o' sheep?" he roared. "Come, you, to me, and you," to the mate. "We three should be enough for some gibbering ape that must have come aboard at the last port and is making havoc below with the eatable cargo."

Down the companionway and down into the hold we went, the captain lighting the way with a lantern. We searched the hold from stem to stern, but nothing did we find, though if any one had chosen to hide he could have done it and we been no wiser, for the boxes and barrels had been well shaken by the storm and needed a lot of fixing, and at last the captain, more dispirited than before, led us up to the deck. We were met by nine inquiring faces, but had nothing to report, and the captain, snarling something like "superstitious curs," instead of giving any information went to his cabin.

Twice during the night the yell was repeated from the hold, but whether the captain preferred to put off any further search till day or was himself converted to the belief that the ship was haunted he did not again appear. For my part, I have no fear of ghosts, but in its stead I was born with a deal of curiosity. Once when I was sleeping below and the thing shrieked I stole out of my bunk and, taking a light, went down to make another try to find the cause. I was groping along, climbing over boxes and barrels, when I received a shock that drew a shriek rivaling those we had heard, for suddenly my light revealed a face so wild, an eye so brilliant with despair, that for a moment I did not doubt I had come upon a lost soul risen from the place of departed spirits.

A man was sitting on a barrel, his legs crossed under him, looking at me with no more surprise than if I had been there always. For a moment I was not sure that he was a man, for his expression was neither that of the living nor of the dead. Never before had I realized the force of the expression of "marrow freezing in one's bones."

But reason soon comes back into play, and in a few moments I knew I was confronted by a man. How or when or why he had come to be there I left for another time. What filled my mind then was how to get him out.
 "Come with me," I said softly, yet with firmness. And, advancing, I took hold of his clammy hand. To my surprise, he suffered me to lead him like a little child, and, making our way through and over the cargo, I led him on deck.

The dawn had meanwhile come, and a faint light gave a better sight of him. He had on the shreds of a sailor's costume, but nothing on his head or feet. I called the mate, who came staring, and I gave him a brief account of how I had found our new shipmate. We questioned him, but got no reply. While we were trying to get something out of him the captain came on deck.

A sailor standing on the bowsprit called out that there was a raft lashed to the chains. That revealed the whole matter. The man had been wrecked, had taken to the raft, struck our ship in the night and after lashing his float clambered on deck. But how in his frenzied condition he had the natural sense to do so is a matter rather for those who have studied lunacy than a sailor man with no education.

We took the man down to the galley and gave him the first thing some warm broth. This we followed by meat and little by little let him have a fair meal. His reason returned, and he told us of his ship being put on beam ends in the storm, his taking to the raft with seven others, who were all washed off, remembering everything till the last man left him, and he was alone watching every mountain billow, expecting that it would send him to join his lost companions. His meeting our ship, the lashing into the raft to the chains, his getting into the hold and what he did there, were a perfect blank to him.

Whenever I have spun this yarn the doubters have invariably hit on what they call the weak point—first, how could the man have lashed his raft? Why wouldn't he rather have climbed up and let it go? My theory is that he did the lashing in a fortunate moment; couldn't have left the one and got on to the other without lashing.

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MONDAY, October 5, 1903, at 9 O'clock a. m., this Enormous Fall Opening Sale starts. Our stocks are right, styles are right, prices are right. You called our previous sales good, but we expect to make this one a record breaker. There is no extra charge for style, no charge because the thing is new; we only charge for value and when you make a purchase of us, if you don't get value we will at any moment be glad to refund your money if you so desire.



FALL OPENING SALE OF MILLINERY

Our millinery department is complete with attractive novelties. We show the latest ideas from the great fashion center of the world, imported models from the work rooms of the millinery artists of Paris. Our stock of dainty dress hats is bewildering in its variety. You are sure to want more than one of these elegant styles.

Street Hats 23c

300 Street Hats bought as odds and ends, a few of every up-to-date style, all colors and shapes, worth from 75c to \$1.00.

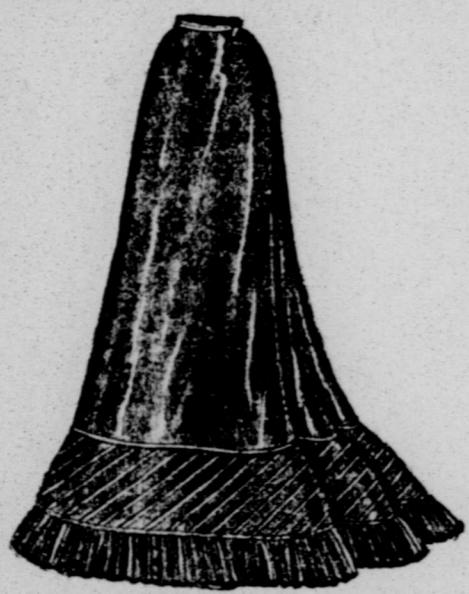
23c Choice 23c

MAGNIFICENT SHOWING

OF LADIES' Fashionable Attire FOR FALL AND WINTER



Our opening of fall and winter Suits, Cloaks, Jackets and Capes sets a new standard of style, taste and beauty. We have searched the market for the latest and best ideas. We are proud of the results. We invite you to come whether you buy or not. We can show you some new styles, bound to please. It will pay you to buy a Suit, Jacket or Cloak, so you can enjoy the pleasant fall days to come.



Fall Showing Well Fitting Skirts and Suits

One lot wool Skirts, greys, blacks, browns and blues, well made and trimmed; a \$3.75 value,
\$2.48

One lot wool Skirts, made of grey basket weave Dundee, nicely trimmed, all the latest make; a \$4.00 value,
\$2.99

One lot all wool Skirts, made of a fine quality of Kersey, with box plait and fold effect; a \$6.00 value,
\$4.45

When buying a skirt any one that fails to see our stock is no doubt LOSER.

Tailor Suits

One lot ladies Tailor Suits, made of cloth, nicely made and trimmed, has taffeta silk lining, the latest idea; a \$25.00 value,
\$18.89

Tailor Suits

One lot ladies' Tailor Suits, nicely made and trimmed, they are simply elegant; a \$12.50 value,
\$9.89

Knit Fascinators

One lot good size Fascinators, made of wool floss, all colors; a 50c value, only
33c

Knit Shawls

One lot good size Shawls, knit of Saxony yarn, all colors; a \$1.00 value, only
63c Each

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THE CANAL DEAL

Col. Henri Waterson, whose boast has been that he doesn't publish an editorial until he has read and re-read it, denounces the Panama canal project as a steal from start to finish, and not only accuses members of congress with jobbery, but devotes some space to the newspaper correspondents and the newspapers, intimating that they were bought up by the representatives of the French syndicate. In an editorial the Courier-Journal says:

"The Morgan-Hepburn bill designating the Nicaragua route, supported by the report of a commission and by ample collateral testimony, had passed the house by an overwhelming majority, and about to pass the senate by a two-thirds vote, when, in the person of M. Edouard Lampe, Panama turned up at Washington. The republic in France who had not possession of the franchise in America, Lesseps scandal and tragedy, had first sent over one Hatin to spy out the lay of the land. Hatin talked about a hundred and a hundred and fifty millions. He was only a feeble. Having ascertained that forty millions was about the figure that might be made practicable—twenty millions for the thieves in France and twenty millions for the thieves in America—Hatin went home and Lampe came here. With his arrival upon the stage the scenes began to be shifted. First one Panama. Public opinion thus manipulated and supposed to be adjusted, the gray wolves of the senate began to show the whites of their eyes. Then to wear their tails. Then cautiously to come out into the open. Finally the Morgan-Hepburn bill and substituting Panama for Nicaragua. But even here, the thieves had a little care for the looks of it; they were not wholly insensible of the finality; and so for appearance's sake—they inserted a clause setting forth that if there was any hitch in the ratification of the proposed treaty with Colombia, the president should use his discretion and select a route. In other words, the gray wolves, in selling out to the French jobbers, who had nothing to sell but a few post and bonds, and a law suit, were careful not to be too conspicuously in the service of the Trans-Continental railways, equally opposed to each and every canal project."

This canal project has been opposed by the transcontinental railroads of the country, and there is no doubt the influence of those roads has been used to prevent the ratification of the Hay-Herran treaty by Colombia. But there is a chance to build the canal, as it is left within the discretion of the president to select another route. If he is honest with himself and with his country, he will do so at once. He should not let the committees of twenty five special journeys at the expense of the railroads be an influence to destroy the hopes of the people. It has been easy for the railroads to buy up the Colombian senate. Do not let it be said that they can buy the president of the United States. This president who accepts a trip across the country which cost \$35,000 has refused to accept the gift of a flag which was presented him by a young lady. Let it not be said that his action is such that it will lead the people to believe that the special trains have influenced him. The action of congress has given him an alternative in the event Colombia refuses. Colombia has refused. Let him take the other route and not submit to the delay which is urged awaiting approval by Colombia. Colombia refused once. There should be no opportunity for a second bite at the apple. Do not give the thieves of this country or of France a chance to make more "boodle" out of it."

MAIN STREET PAVING

The announcement is made that City Engineer Hawley and General Manager Haines of the Traction company are to go over Main street from Weatherford to Front and decide what is to be done to put the brick paving in good condition. Mr. Haines agrees that wherever the traction company is at fault, the defect will be remedied. This will be welcome to the people of Fort Worth. It cannot really be said that the people appreciate it, as appreciation is given for a courtesy shown. This is a duty to the people. The main street paving has been put down at great expense after some years of waiting. It was badly needed and was accomplished soon enough. The fault is in the center of the street, and while it appears on that portion of the

CLEANINGS FROM... THE EXCHANGES

A young man living near Benton went to his girl a few evenings since and before leaving he asked for a kiss. Being full of mischief, and wishing to play a joke, she refused and pretended to be angry, and she said she was going to call her father. She rushed into another room where his paternal majesty was and told him that John wished to see his new gun. The old man pulled down the gun and started in the next room where the young man was. He spied the old man and the gun and broke out a back window, carrying a part of the sash, and the young lady is wondering why he has quit calling her his father. The young man did not deserve a kiss. A fellow who is afraid to face father, mother and the whole family to get a kiss from his best girl is not worthy of the kiss. Kisses are worth the risk every time.

Some know-all has estimated the cotton crop of Texas at three million bales. If he has no more sense than that, that is, he knows better he ought to be gagged. If Texas gets one and one-half million bales this year she will be doing well.—Gatesville Star-Forum.

Certain candidates for state offices at Austin are endeavoring to involve former students of the University in the contest. This should not be. The University ought to be kept out of politics and the candidate who would seek to drag that institution into a discussion will be defeated as he should be. The Telegram has received anonymous campaign literature which says the "university might" take a hand in it. The wish is father to the thought, but the child should die aborning.

In his speech Governor Hoeg calls attention to the fact that a man will not employ an attorney to prosecute his case, if that attorney is in the employ of the other side. He then suggests that when corporation lawyers are elected to the legislature, while they are in the employ of the other side, they should always pay more.

Tim Murphy comes in "The Man from Missouri." Tim should explain which man it is, because some might think a "boodler" is being brought here. You will have to show us, Tim.

Mrs. Roosevelt always appears to get a whole dress out of her \$300 a year expenditures. There is never a picture shown with a lot missing about the shoulders and neck.

Look carefully through the magazine section of The Telegram today. What do you think of it as a daily newspaper? It is good reading for Sunday.

It is believed the railroads would rather present argument to honest legislators than pass to those whom they do not understand and are afraid to risk.

It is hoped that when the work of paving Houston street commences no one will get in the way. Let them finish by all means.

If Mrs. Roosevelt can dress on \$100 per year, some of the society girls might ask her for her patterns.

Sunday is a good day to sit down and think about that new sidewalk you ought to have put in front of your home.

The Telegram comes to you in pretty clothes today. Look it over and see how you like the new costume.

Will those gentlemen in Fort Worth who control property fronts please put down sidewalks.

The Telegram today comes to you in solar form. How do you like the Greater Fort Worth daily?

Corporation lawyers should not be sent to the legislature.

Have you seen a paper in Texas that beats the Sunday Telegram?

Bright's Disease and Diabetes News

Office Wine and Spirit Review, San Francisco, May 21, 1903.—To the Editor of The Telegram—Dear Sir: The business men of this city who are now protesting to the world the discovery of the cure for chronic kidney diseases have asked me as one of the beneficiaries to write to some of my brother editors. Hence this letter to you. I was at first as skeptical as anyone. I had reason to be. I had the most serious chronic kidney trouble known—namely, a clear case of chronic Bright's disease—was ill for a year. It was not thought I would live thirty days. The president of the Pacific States Type Foundry told my wife that the newly discovered diuretic would save my life, and against my private convictions I was put on it. In six months my recovery was complete.

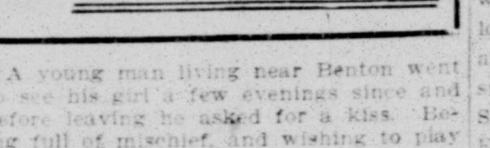
A friend of mine, Dr. A. J. Howe, a prominent physician, was nearly dead with Bright's disease. On my recovery I told him and it acted the same in his case, and he is now well on the road to recovery. I told one of the writers on the Call, whose mother had Diabetes. She has fully recovered. As a brother editor I personally assure you of the truth of the discovery. Thousands of lives are to be saved and I am writing in the hope that this letter will stir some of them right. Fraternally yours,

R. M. WOOD, Editor.

The above refers to the newly discovered Fulton Compound, the first cure of the world has ever seen for chronic kidney diseases. We are one sole agents. Ask for pamphlet. H. T. Pangburn & Co.

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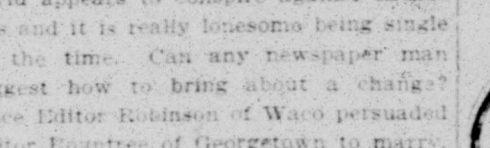
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The Filigree Ball

By ANNA KATHERINE GREEN

"The Moore House? Are You Speaking of the Moore House?"
For a detective whose talents had not been recognized at headquarters, I possessed an ambition with the lieutenant of the precinct, had not yet been expressed in words. Though I had small reason for expecting great things of myself, I had always cherished the hope that if a big case came my way I should be found able to do something with it—something more, that is, than I had seen accomplished by the police of the District of Columbia since I had had the honor of being one of their number. Therefore, when I found myself plunged, almost without my own volition, into the Jeffrey-Moore affair, I believed that the opportunity had come whereby I might distinguish myself.
It had complications, this Jeffrey-Moore affair; greater ones than the public ever knew, keen as the interest in it ran both in and out of Washington.
This is why I propose to tell the story of this great tragedy from my own standpoint, even if in so doing I risk the charge of attempting to exploit my own connection with this celebrated case. In its course I encountered as many disappointments as triumphs, and brought out of the affair a heart as sore as it was satisfied; for I am a lover of women and—
But I am keeping you from the story itself.
I was at the station-house the night Uncle David came in. He was always called Uncle David, even by the ar-

chins who followed him in the street; so I am showing him no disrespect, gentleman though he is, by giving him a title which as completely characterized him in those days, as did his moody ways, his quaint attire and the persistence with which he kept at his side his great mastiff, Rudge.
I had long since heard of the old gentleman as one of the most interesting residents of the precinct. I had even seen him more than once on the avenue, but I had never before been brought face to face with him, and consequently had much too superficial a knowledge of his countenance to determine offhand whether the uneasy light in his small gray-eyes was natural to them, or simply the result of present excitement. But when he began to talk I detected an unmistakable tremor in his tones, and decided that he was in a state of suppressed agitation, though he appeared to have nothing more alarming to impart than the fact that he had seen a light burning in some house presumably empty.
It was all so trivial that I gave him but scant attention till he laid a name fall which caused me to prick up my ears and even to put in a word. "The Moore house," he had said.
"The Moore house?" I repeated in amazement. "Are you speaking of the Moore house?"
A thousand recollections came with the name.
"What other," he grumbled, directing toward me a look as keen as it was impatient. "Do you think that I would bother myself long about a house I had no interest in, or drag

Rudge from his warm rug to save some ungrateful neighbor from a possible burglary? No, it is my house which some rogue has chosen to enter. That is," he suavely corrected, as he saw surprise in every eye, "the house which the law will give me, if anything ever happens to that chit of a girl whom my brother left behind him."
Growing some words at the dog, who showed a decided inclination to lie down where he was, the old man made for the door and in another moment would have been in the street, if I had not stepped after him.
"You are a Moore and live in or near that old house?" I asked.
The surprise with which he met this question daunted me a little.
"How long have you been in Washington, I should like to ask?" was his acrid retort.
"Oh, some five months."
His good nature, or what passed for such in this irascible old man, returned in an instant; and he curtly but not unkindly remarked:
"You haven't learned much in that time." Then, with a nod more ceremonious than any other man's bow, he added, with sudden dignity: "I am of the elder branch and live in the cottage fronting the old place. I am the only resident on the block. When you have lived here longer you will know why that especial neighborhood is not a favorite one with those who cannot boast of the Moore blood. For the present, let us attribute the bad name that it holds to—malaria." And with a significant hitch of his hand shoulders which set in undulating

motion every fold of the old-fashioned cloak he wore, he started again for the door.
But my curiosity was by this time aroused to fever heat. I knew more about this house than he gave me credit for. No one who had read the papers of late, much less a man connected with the police, could help being well informed in all the details of its remarkable history. What I had failed to know was his close relationship to the family whose name for the last two weeks had been in every mouth.
"Wait!" I called out. "You say that you live opposite the Moore house. You can then tell me—"
But he had no mind to stop for any gossip.
"It was all in the papers," he called back. "Read them. But first be sure to find out who has struck a light in the house that we all know has not even a caretaker in it."
It was good advice. My duty and my curiosity both led me to follow it. Perhaps you have heard of the distinguishing feature of this house; if so, you do not need my explanations. But if, for any reason, you are ignorant of the facts which within a very short time have set a final seal of horror upon this old, historic dwelling, then you will be glad to read what has made and will continue to make the Moore house in Washington one to be pointed at in daylight and shunned after dark, not only by superstitious colored folk, but by all who should hardly presume to mention, had it not been for the recent occurrence which has recalled them to all men's minds and given to this long empty and slowly crumbling building an importance which has spread its fame from one end of the country to the other. I refer to the tragedy attending the wedding lately celebrated there.
Veronica Rudge, rich, pretty and willful, had long cherished a strange liking for this frowning old home of her ancestors, and, at the most critical time of her life, conceived the idea of proving to herself and to society at large that no real ban lay upon it save in the imagination of the superstitious. So, being about to marry the choice of her young heart, she caused this house to be opened for the wedding ceremony; with what result, you know. Though the occasion was a joyous one and accompanied by all that could give cheer to such a function, it had not escaped the old-time shadow. One of the guests straying into the room of ancient and unhalloved memory, the one room which had not been thrown open to the crowd, had been found within five minutes of the ceremony lying on its dolorous hearthstone, dead; and though the bride was spared a knowledge of the dreadful fact till the holy words were said, a panic had seized the guests and emptied the house as suddenly and completely as though the plague had been discovered there.
This is why I hastened to follow Uncle David when he told me that all was not right in this house of tragic memories.
CHAPTER II.
I ENTER.
Though past seventy, Uncle David was a brisk walker, and on this night in particular he sped along so fast that he was half-way down H street by the time I had turned the corner at New Hampshire avenue.
His gait, but not ungraceful figure, merged in that of the dog trotting at his heels, was the only moving object in the dreary vista of this the most desolate block in Washington. As I neared the building, I was so impressed by the surrounding stillness that I was ready to vow that the shadows were denser here than elsewhere and that the few gas lamps, which flickered at intervals down the street, shone with a more feeble ray than in any other equal length of street in Washington.
Meanwhile, the shadow of Uncle David had vanished from the pave-

ment. He had paused beside a fence which, hung with vines, surrounded and nearly hid from sight the little cottage he had mentioned as the only house on the block with the exception of the great Moore place; in other words, his own home.
As I came abreast of him I heard him muttering, not to his dog, as was his custom, but to himself. In fact, the dog was not to be seen, and this desertion on the part of his constant companion seemed to add to his disturbance and affect him beyond all reason. I could distinguish these words amongst the many he directed toward the unseen animal:
"You're a knowing one, too, knowing me! You see that loosened shutter over the way as plainly as I do; but you're a coward to slink away from it. I don't face the thing, and what's more, I'll show you yet what I think of a dog that can't stand his ground and help his old master out with some show of courage. Creaks, does it? Well, let it creak! I don't mind its creaking, glad as I should be to know whose hand—Hullo! You've come, have you?" This to me. I had stepped up to him.
"Yes, I've come. Now what is the matter with the Moore house?"
He must have expected the question, yet his answer was a long time coming. His voice, too, sounded strained, and was pitched quite too high to be natural. But he evidently did not expect me to show surprise at his manner.
"Look at that window over there!" he cried at last. "That one with the slightly open shutter! Watch and you will see that shutter move. There! it creaked; didn't you hear it?"
A growl—it was more like a moan—came from the porch behind us. Instantly the old gentleman turned, and with a gesture as fierce as it was instinctive, shouted out:
"Be still there! If you haven't the courage to face a blowing shutter, keep your jaws shut and don't let every fellow who happens along know what a fool you are. I declare," he muttered on, half to himself and half to me, "that dog is getting old. He can't be trusted any more. He forsakes his master just when—" The rest was lost in his throat which rattled with something more than impatient anger.
Meanwhile, I had been attentively scrutinizing the house thus pointedly brought to my notice. I had seen it many times before, but, as it happened, had never stopped to look at it when the huge trees surrounding it were shrouded in darkness. The black hollow of its disused portal looked out from shadows which acquired some of their somberness from all the tragic memories connected with its empty void.
Its aspect was scarcely reassuring. Not that superstition lent its terrors to the lonely scene, but that through the blank panes of the window, alternately appearing and disappearing from view as the shutter pointed out by Uncle David blew to and fro in the wind, I saw, or was persuaded that I saw, a beam of light which argued an unknown presence within walls which had so lately been declared unfit for any man's habitation.
"You are right," I now remarked to the uneasy figure at my side. "Some one is prowling through the house yonder. Can it possibly be Mrs. Jeffrey or her husband?"
"At night and with no gas in the house? Hardly."
The words were natural, but the voice was not. Neither was his manner quite suited to the occasion. Giving him another sly glance, and marking how uneasily he edged away from

me in the darkness, I cried out more cheerily than he possibly expected:
"I will summon another officer and we three will just slip across and investigate."
"Not if!" was his violent retort, as he swung open a gate concealed in the vines behind him. "The Jeffreys would resent my intrusion if they ever happened to hear of it."
"Indeed!" I laughed, sounding my whistle; then, soberly enough, for I was more than a little struck by the oddity of his behavior and thought him as well worth investigation as the house in which he showed such an interest: "You shouldn't let that count. Come and see what's up in the house you are so ready to call yours."
But he only drew farther into the shade.
"I have no business over there," he objected. "Veronica and I have never been on good terms. I was not even invited to her wedding, though I live within a stone's throw of the door. No; I have done my duty in calling attention to that light, and whether it's the bull's-eye of a burglar—perhaps you don't know that there are rare treasures on the book shelves of the house. In another moment the fantastic illumination which frightens fool-folks and some fool-dogs, I'm done with it and done with you, too, for tonight."
As he said this, he mounted to his door and disappeared under the vines, hanging like a shroud over the front of the house. In another moment the rich peal of an organ sounded from within, followed by the prolonged howling of Rudge, who, either from a too keen appreciation of his master's music or in utter disapproval of it, no one, I believe, has ever been able to make out which—was accustomed to add to this underlaid accompaniment to every strain from the old man's hand. The playing did not cease because of these outrageous discords. On the contrary, it increased in force and volume, causing Rudge's expression of pain or pleasure to increase also. The result can be imagined. As I listened to the intolerable howl of the dog cutting clean through the exquisite harmony of his master, I wondered if the shadows cast by the frowning structure of the great Moore house were alone to blame for Uncle David's lack of neighbors.
Meantime, Hibbard, who was the first to hear my signal, came running down the block. As he joined me, the light, or what we chose to call a light, appeared again in the window toward which my attention had been directed.
"Some one's in the Moore house!" I declared, in as matter-of-fact tones as I could command.
Hibbard is a big fellow, the biggest fellow on the force, and so far as my experience with him had gone, as stolid and imperturbable as the best of us. But after a quick glance at the towering walls of the lonely building, he showed decided embarrassment and seemed in no haste to cross the street.
With difficulty I concealed my disgust.
"Come," I cried, stepping down from the curb, "let's go over and investigate. The property is valuable, the furnishings handsome, and there is no end of costly books on the library shelves. You have matches and a revolver?"
He nodded, quietly showing me first the one, then the other; then with a sheepish air which he endeavored to carry off with a laugh, he cried:
"Have you use for 'em? If so, I'm quite willing to part with 'em for a half-hour."

I was more than amazed at this evidence of weakness in one I had always considered as tough and impenetrable as flintlock. Trusting back the hands with which he had half drawn into view the weapon I had mentioned, I put on my nearest air and led the way across the street. "We may come upon a gang. You do not wish me to face some half-dozen men alone?"
"You won't find any half-dozen men there," was his muttered reply. Nevertheless, he followed me, though with less spirit than I liked, considering that my own manner was in a measure assumed and that I met not for a dog who whimpered in a dismal accompaniment to his master's music, to keeping open watch over a neighborhood dominated by the unhalloved structure I now proposed to enter.
The house is too well known for me to attempt a minute description of it. The illustrations which have appeared in all the papers have already acquainted the general public with its simple facade and rows upon rows of shuttered windows. Even the great square porch with its bench for negro attendants have been photographed for the million. Those who have seen the place in which the wedding-guests are seen flying from its yawning doorway, will not be especially interested in the quiet, almost solemn aspect it presented as I passed upon the low steps and laid my hand upon the knob of the old-fashioned front door.
Not that I expected to win an entrance thereby, but because it is my nature to approach everything in a common-sense way. Conceivably, my astonishment when at the first touch the door yielded, it was not even latched.
"So!" thought I. "This is no fool's job; some one is in the house."
I had provided myself with an ordinary pocket lantern, and, when I had convinced Hibbard that I fully meant to enter the house and discover for myself who had taken advantage of the popular prejudice against it to make a secret refuge or rendezvous of its decaying old rooms, I took out this lantern and held it in readiness.
"We may strike a hornet's nest," I explained to Hibbard, whom that seemed very heavy even for a man of his size. "But I'm going in and so are you. Only, let me suggest that we first take off our shoes. We can hide them in these bushes."
"I always catch cold when I walk barefooted," mumbled my brace companion; but receiving no reply, he drew off his shoes and dropped them beside mine in the cluster of stark bushes which figure so prominently in the illustrations that I have just mentioned. Then he took out his revolver, and cocking it, stood waiting, while I gave a cautious push to the door.
Darkness! silence!
Rather had I confronted a light and heard some noise, even if it had been the ominous click to which we are so well accustomed. Hibbard seemed to share my feelings, though from an entirely different cause.
"This is a shabby place, no good here," he grumbled. "What we want at this blessed minute is a priest with a sprinkling of holy water; and I for one—"
He was actually sliding off his back.
"Ease here!" I cried, "you are not a babe in arms. Come on or— Well, what now?"
He had clenched his arm and was pointing to the door which was slowly swaying to behind us.
"Notice that," he whispered. "No key in the lock! Men use keys but— My patience could stand no more. With a shake of his head, he hid his clutch, muttering:
"There, go! You're too much of a in proof of my determination, I turned fool for me. I'm for it alone." And the slide of the lantern and flashed the light through the house.
The effect was ghastly; but while the fellow at my side breathed hard he did not take advantage of my words to make his escape, as I half expected him to. Perhaps, like myself, he was fascinated by the dreary spectacle of low shadowy walls and an equally shadowy staircase emerging from a darkness which a minute before had seemed impenetrable. Perhaps, he was simply ashamed. At all events he stood his ground, scrutinizing with rolling eyes that portion of the hall where two columns, with gilded Corinthian capitals, marked the door of the room which no man entered without purpose or passion without dread. Doubtless he was thinking of that which had so frequently been carried out between those columns. I know that I was; and when, in the sudden draft made by the open door, some draperies hanging near those columns blew out with a sudden swoop and shiver, I was not at all astonished to see him lose what little courage had remained in him. The truth is, I was startled myself, but I was able to hide the fact and to whisper back to him, fiercely:
"Don't be an idiot. That curtain hides nothing worse than some sneaking political refugee or a gang of counterfeiters."
"Maybe I'd just like to put my hand on Upson and—"
"Hush!"
I had just heard something. For a moment we stood breathless, but as the sound was not repeated, I concluded that it was the creaking of that far-away shutter. Certainly there was nothing nearer us.
"Shall he go upstairs?" whispered Hibbard.
"Not till we have made sure that all is right down here."
A door stood slightly ajar of our left.
Pushing it open, we looked in. A well furnished parlor was before us. "Here's where the wedding took place," remarked Hibbard, straining his head over my shoulder.
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He had clenched his arm and was pointing to the door which was slowly swaying to behind us.
"Notice that," he whispered. "No key in the lock! Men use keys but— My patience could stand no more. With a shake of his head, he hid his clutch, muttering:
"There, go! You're too much of a in proof of my determination, I turned fool for me. I'm for it alone." And the slide of the lantern and flashed the light through the house.
The effect was ghastly; but while the fellow at my side breathed hard he did not take advantage of my words to make his escape, as I half expected him to. Perhaps, like myself, he was fascinated by the dreary spectacle of low shadowy walls and an equally shadowy staircase emerging from a darkness which a minute before had seemed impenetrable. Perhaps, he was simply ashamed. At all events he stood his ground, scrutinizing with rolling eyes that portion of the hall where two columns, with gilded Corinthian capitals, marked the door of the room which no man entered without purpose or passion without dread. Doubtless he was thinking of that which had so frequently been carried out between those columns. I know that I was; and when, in the sudden draft made by the open door, some draperies hanging near those columns blew out with a sudden swoop and shiver, I was not at all astonished to see him lose what little courage had remained in him. The truth is, I was startled myself, but I was able to hide the fact and to whisper back to him, fiercely:
"Don't be an idiot. That curtain hides nothing worse than some sneaking political refugee or a gang of counterfeiters."
"Maybe I'd just like to put my hand on Upson and—"
"Hush!"
I had just heard something. For a moment we stood breathless, but as the sound was not repeated, I concluded that it was the creaking of that far-away shutter. Certainly there was nothing nearer us.
"Shall he go upstairs?" whispered Hibbard.
"Not till we have made sure that all is right down here."
A door stood slightly ajar of our left.
Pushing it open, we looked in. A well furnished parlor was before us. "Here's where the wedding took place," remarked Hibbard, straining his head over my shoulder.
(Continued Sunday).

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VICE-PRESIDENT, UNITED DAUGHTERS' INDUSTRIAL CLUB.

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Mrs. Anna D. Moore.

THE REAL AND THE BEAUTIFUL

He had been born blind. That was at a time when the surgery of the eye was in its infancy, and he was given no hope that he would ever see.

The woman was not gifted at any time with physical beauty, and after a dozen years of married life what good looks she had ever possessed vanished.

She was swayed by conflicting emotions. If it had not mattered to him she would have preferred to keep him blind.

Before the operation that restored his sight took place she visited the surgeon who was to perform it, told him of the dread she suffered and her plan.

The day of the operation came and the first object on which the man's eyes rested after the restoration of his sight was indeed a vision of loveliness.

"What a singular thing is sight!" he muttered. "It gives, but it takes away. I would never have dreamed that it could have made such a difference."

As soon as the meal was over he entered upon his usual avocations, and when he had finished and asked for his wife he was informed that she had gone out.

"What have I gained? When I see you, you are cold like other women. When I do not see you, you are still my love."

"I would like to have you beautiful always and always as you are when I do not see you."

The next day the husband tried to cultivate in his wife of beauty some of the warmth of his wife of reality. He was an attractive man, and the beauty listened.

An Animal Story For Little Folks

The Monkey Who Was Not Observing

Mumbo and Jumbo were two gay monkeys who had a reputation in the jungle of being 'sports' who loved racing and climbing and tall swinging and eccentric throwing contests and all that sort of thing.

Mumbo, who counted himself a very cunning fellow, chose Mr. Camel, and after many flattering words of praise for his speed in crossing the desert, persuaded him to be ridden in the race.

Mr. Lion was chosen because of his kingly bearing to act as the judge. Both mounted their racers and trotted up to the line.



TROTTED UP TO THE LINE.

run with such a long neck as that to carry? And, besides, I have heard that to win a race one must 'bump' himself, and my camel is just the one for that.

Jumbo smiled. He knew a thing or two. The starting word was given. Down the race course they came at full speed.

"I shall win, sure!" he cried. "I know it!" But just as they reached the tape Mr. Giraffe stretched out his long neck, stuck out his long tongue, touched the tape first and won the race.

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PLAN TO DEVELOP JEWS.

International Move For Physical Improvement of the Race.

Preparations are being made for an international convention to further a movement for the physical improvement of the Hebrew race, says the New York Herald.

A national organization known as the Macabean league will serve as a nucleus for the international movement. The first of the athletic clubs projected is to be established on the east side of New York, near East Broadway.

Fort Worth possesses the purest water in the world. It is artesian and is obtained by a tunnel system from 300 feet below the earth's surface.

Fort Worth is situated on a high bluff overlooking the beautiful Trinity river, the West and Clear forks of which converge at this city. Until the artesian system was installed Fort Worth's water supply came from the Trinity in part and from artesian wells in part.

"I think that in Europe we can create enthusiasm for our movement and that many national conventions can be arranged. Physical improvement is of the utmost importance to the Hebrew tenement house dwellers, and it will do no harm for those of the wealthy and middle classes to cooperate with us.

The majority of Hebrews in this country are engaged in the manufacture of clothing and other indoor trades and in commercial and other pursuits which do not require physical exertion, and the race is likely to deteriorate unless something is done to improve their physical condition."

MANUAL TRAINING IN INDIA.

Ceylonese Scholar Has Sent Equipment For the First School.

Buddhist scholar and delegate to the world's congress on religions during the Ceylonese exhibition in Brooklyn, Mass., as the guest of Edward Atkinson, after several years' absence from America. He is seeking to interest philanthropists in industrial education for the neglected children of India, says the New York Tribune.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SUGAR.

New Plant of Remarkable Sweetening Qualities.

The agricultural department at Washington is inquiring into the statement of Consul General Richard Guenther that a new plant has been discovered in South America which promises to supplant the sugar cane and the sugar beet, says the New York Times.

According to Mr. Guenther, a lump the size of a pea will sufficiently sweeten a cup of coffee, as the product made from the plant is from twenty to thirty times sweeter than cane or beet sugar. It is said to be easily cultivated in countries having climatic conditions similar to those of the southern portion of the United States.

Medals For King Victor Emmanuel.

Victor Emmanuel, king of Italy, will pay his postponed visit to Paris between Oct. 12 and 16 next, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. Great preparations are being made for his coming. As he is well known to be an enthusiast in numismatics, fifty fine medals will be presented to him.

New Appeal to Alpine Tourists. The Swiss Alpine society has been trying for some time to persuade its guides to insure their lives, but with only partial success. It now appeals to all tourists to engage only such guides as are insured, in order to prevent the wretchedness caused by the death of uninsured guides who have a family to support.

Fort Worth As It Is Today

In view of the forthcoming Free Fall Festival, it will be interesting for intending visitors to know something about the city of Fort Worth. The Telegram has prepared some facts and figures with regard to this city, which will prove interesting not only to those residing outside the city, but to those who live here.

In the first place Fort Worth is the most essentially American city of its size in the United States. It has 4 per cent colored population, 5 per cent foreign-born and 90 per cent American-born white population.

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Statistics show that Fort Worth, in proportion to population, is the second healthiest city in the world, and with the introduction of artesian water it is certain to become the most healthful.

Although young in comparison with other leading Texas cities, Fort Worth is rapidly overcoming the disadvantages its rivals in the earlier years of its history. Fort Worth today is acknowledged to be the most rapidly growing city in Texas.

If you are interested in Fort Worth, read the following: Population, 43,990. Good newspapers. Rural mail routes. Free kindergarten system. A \$100,000 city hall. A beautiful climate.

A splendid surrounding agricultural region. The gateway to the panhandle and the west. Unsurpassed advantages as a business center. Unrivaled facilities as a manufacturing center.

A \$100,000 steel viaduct across the Texas and Pacific. The largest and best freight depot of any city of its size. Two well-equipped hospitals and a third one in course of construction.

Forty-two church edifices, nearly all of striking architectural beauty. Young Men's Christian Association, about to erect a costly structure.

Twenty-five miles of street car lines, not including the interurban line. A newly formed merchants' and wholesalers' association, with fifty-six members.

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Over 200 artesian wells, supplying pure water for domestic, factory and fire protection purposes. The home of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, the richest association of cattlemen in the world, the National association of stock factories.

Many clubs devoted to social, athletic, literary, musical and dramatic objects, besides a large number of lesser social organizations. A paid fire department of eight companies, forming the best fire department in the southwest, besides several factory departments.

Eleven railroads, all trunk lines, including the Texas and Pacific, Missouri, Kansas and Texas, Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe (Atchison system), Houston and Texas Central (Southern Pacific system), Fort Worth and Rio Grande (Prio system), Transcontinental branch of the Texas and Pacific, Fort Worth and Denver City, Chicago, Rock Island and Texas, St. Louis Southwestern (Cotton Belt), St. Louis and San Francisco, International and Great Northern.

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325.40 to Chicago, Ill., and return, account International Live Stock Exposition. Tickets on sale Nov. 28, 29 and 30, final limit for return, Oct. 21.

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NATIVE NEWSPAPERS CRITICISE CURZON

SAY HE BAMBOOZLED MAHARAJAH OUT OF COSTLY SET OF IVORY FURNITURE

(Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) LONDON, Oct. 3.—Lord Curzon, viceroy of India, who is coming with his American wife, the Misses Letter of Chicago, to spend a few months' vacation in England...

Cholera Infantum

There is no danger whatever from this disease when taken in time and properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system.

TERRIBLE TORTURES OF RUSSIAN PRISON

NO ONE KNOWS WHAT IS DONE BEHIND THE GRIM WALLS OF THE FORTRESS OF SCHLUSSELBERG

BY MALCOLM CLARKE (Copyrighted, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) BERLIN, Oct. 3.—Russian political exiles continue to be tortured in the famous Russian prison known as the Schlüsselberg fortress.

PAINTERS MAY STOP WORK ON MANHATTAN

Threatened Strike of Serious Proportions Is Imminent in New York

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Threats are being made by the Brotherhood of Painters that unless the members of their union are put back to work in the shops of the Manhattan Elevated Railroad and none but union painters employed, they will call a general strike...

LOUBET'S BLACK BULL BOTHERS HM BADLY

FRENCH PRESIDENT DOESN'T KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH THE GIFT OF KING EDWARD

BY JAMES CONWAY, M. A. (Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyrighted, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) PARIS, Oct. 3.—President Loubet is in a quandary.

NIGHT SCHOOL

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REPORT NOT VERIFIED

Story That Mexicans Will Permit Coolies to Land Not Verified

WOMEN WILL GO TO SAHARA

Women will go to the Sahara. The report that the Chinese American Company has granted the privilege of landing coolies at the port of Manzanillo, has not been verified.

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WOMAN STARVES SELF

Too Proud to Ask for Help, She Dies of Lack of Food

TWO GIRLS ARE LOST

They Were on the British Steamer Laura Branch

BIG SHORTAGE OF CARS

Serious Problem Now Faces the Railroads of the Country

PRINCESS LIKED SHOW

The empress of the circus two or three nights ago. The empress at the end of one of the numbers rose to go, but the little girl begged her to stay, and she did until the end of the show.

AN ABSOLUTE NECESSITY

So Think at Least One Travelling Man

DOCTORS FIND WHERE THEY SEND PATIENTS

One of the new features of the congress of physicians held at Enns, which was attended by 170 doctors, of which twenty nine were Americans, all post graduates.

A JOKE ON WILHELM

A practical joke played on the Kaiser during the recent army maneuvers in Germany has cost a captain of artillery his job.

CENTENNIAL IS ENDED

Chicago Celebration Closes in a Final Blaze of Glory

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

CHINAMAN'S AIM GOOD

Latter Was Trying to Break into a Bedroom

MANEUVERS OF TROOPS

Work of the Regular Army Now in Kentucky Field

UNION MAYOR CALLED

He Was Violating Union Rules But Says He Didn't Know It

ROBBERIED THE GRAVE

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day."

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The first relay in the Marine Band contest closed at midnight, Wednesday, September 23. Between that time and Wednesday, October 7, at midnight, for every cent paid in on subscriptions to The Telegram, three votes will be counted.

Table with columns: The Awards, Conditions of the Contest, and Standing of the Contestants. Lists names and vote counts for various contestants.

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Miss Nannie Wells..... 75,775
Miss Mattie Cooper..... 70,117
Miss Fulgham..... 59,965
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An Animal Story For Little Folks

The Two Roosters

Two roosters who had lived together in great happiness for many years got into a discussion over which was worth the most money.

"I," said the younger, "belong to one of the oldest and most exclusive families in the state. My great-grandfather was owned by Napoleon III, and nothing but the bluest blood runs in my veins. Here is my pedigree.



FELL OVER DEAD.

You can see that it goes back to the time when chickens first inhabited the earth.

"Oh, that's nothing!" said the older rooster. "I'm game all over. I don't count so much on what my grand-father and great-grandfather did, but what I can do myself." And with that he gave the proud rooster such a terrible thrashing that it fell over dead on the pedegree it had been showing.

Then the older rooster started to crow, and said, "A live game bird is worth a thousand blue blooded ones," and he went on picking corn.

Moral—Learn to depend upon yourself and not on what your ancestors did.—Detroit Journal.

An Animal Story For Little Folks

Practice What You Preach

"My dear," quacked Mrs. Duck to her two promising offspring, "always follow the advice of your elders. One learns more by example than by precept. Just observe your mother. See to do as she does, and remember all ways to obey to the full her commands even though the sky should fall."

"Quack, quack!" assented the offspring. "Now, by observing all that I do you will learn much that will be helpful. What have we here? Ah, that's interesting! A chopping block, my dears."

"Let me remind you both that a duck should never try to fly high; they are too heavy—but I would like to know what's in that pail?" saying which she hopped and scrambled up on to the block in a most ungraceful way. The two ducklings stared wonderingly "Quack, quack!" was all they said.

"Now, here is a pail," Mrs. Duck continued when she could get balanced.



"QUACK, QUACK!" WAS ALL THEY SAID

"In it I see a green liquid—of course you can't, but you will take any word for it as good duckies should. It is probably grass chopped fine and squeezed in a press.

"Now, you know I have often told you never to stick your bills into anything that you are not familiar with. It is very dangerous. But of course I shall investigate it. Stand perfectly still where you are and don't move an inch—if the sky should fall." The ducklings meekly answered, "Quack, quack!"

Mrs. Duck stuck her long bill down in the green paint, but drew it out very soon quickly.

"Oh, oh!" she cried. "Horrid, horrid! I shall faint! Catch me!" And she fell backward off the block. As she did so the pail of paint upset and the little ducklets, obedient to death, refusing to move, caught it all.

When Mrs. Duck recovered and looked about her she spied her pea green children crying, "Weep, weep! Weep, weep!"

"There!" she said boldly. "Why don't you do as I told you to do?"

"We thought we did," was all they said.

All of which shows that some people are better at preaching than at practicing.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

WEEK'S MARKET CURRENT PRICES

The receipts of cattle last week were 11,500 head and the general market was very unsatisfactory, almost every class of cattle suffering a decline. Monday's run was the heaviest in the history of the new yards since the influence of Saturday's heavy receipts the market was on a gradual decline the remainder of the week.

Medium quality cows suffered the heaviest decline, while best steers sold slow and low from the previous week's prices. Choice heavy fed steers weighing 1,100 to 1,150 sold at \$5.50@5.90, with a few good grassers at \$3.25 and the common class at \$2.50@3.50.

Best quality cows last week sold at \$2.25@2.50, the general run of fair to good quality range cows selling at \$1.75@2.00 and the thin, common stuff bringing anywhere from \$1.25 to \$1.50. The market shows a decline of fully 20 cents on the common variety, best cows closing for the week steady to a shade lower.

The supply of calves and veals was light and the market was steady throughout the week. Best quality light-weight calves are quoted at \$3.50@5.00, common to fair, \$2.00@2.50. The bull market for the week is unchanged. While the supply has been light, the quality shows some improvement and trading was done on a steady basis.

Hog receipts for the week amounted to 3,294 head, an increase over the previous week of 1,023 hogs. The market opened Monday with top hogs selling at \$6.25, declining to 10 cents Wednesday, lost another time Thursday and closed Saturday 5 to 10 cents lower than Thursday's closing market. The unsatisfactory condition of the local market is partly due to the head breaks in the northern market, which have been weak to lower since last Monday's opening. Choice quality hogs are now quoted at \$5.90@6.05, mixed packers and butchers at \$5.90@5.90 and lights at \$5.25@5.35. Choice quality pigs sell anywhere from \$5.50 to \$6.50.

The sheep market is unchanged, hardly enough sheep being received last week to make any quotable change in prices. Good muttons weighing from 85 to 100 pounds sold at \$3.25@3.50, lambs, \$3.00@3.75. The demand for good sheep is excellent, the local packers being forced to call upon their northern houses for small consignments to be handled at their plants here.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS There is a general demand for stockers and feeders and the market last week traded steady and active in this class of cattle. Commission men have orders for stock cattle which they are unable to fill on account of the scarcity of this class of cattle at the local yards. Good quality feeders weighing between 900 and 1,000 pounds are quoted at \$2.90@3.00, medium feeders weighing from 775 to 850, \$2.40@2.55, and the light, common kinds at \$1.75@2.25.

STOCK HOGS "Stock hogs are as scarce as hen's teeth," said a well-known feeder last Friday. I shipped in a car of cattle today and intended to take home with me a car of stock hogs to run after a bunch of cattle which I am feeding, but I find that prices are not only high, but there are no stock hogs to be had. The market for stock hogs is ripe and each day a feeder and speculator may be seen sitting on the fence at the hog yards awaiting the arrival of late shipments to see if they are worth the price. A car of 1,000 pigs for a bunch of 25 thirty-six-pound pigs to take home for full feed. These pigs were just common stuff and if they were any weighing breed in them it must have been Jack rabbit.

Every farmer and stock raiser who intends to feed cattle through the winter should have a bunch of hogs to follow them. If he will do this, when he markets his cattle he will have a neat profit coming from his hogs.

MORE HORSE AND MULE NOTES The receipts of horses and mules last week was very gratifying. Not only all of Texas, but the great southern states which are sources of horses and mules are interested in Fort Worth as a future market. While the new barns and pens are not completed, they are being used, and during the entire week were filled with stock.

Rehman, representing Wolford & Co. of Little Rock, was the first man to take out a shipment of mules from the new yards. Thursday he bought one car of mules, and on Friday he shipped 1,400 pounds, which he shipped to his firm at Little Rock. Since January 1, this one company has bought over \$100,000 worth of horses and mules from a local firm represented at the yards.

E. B. Smith of Clarksville was on the market Friday and bought a carload of good horses, which he shipped to Clarksville. D. B. Holt, Stearns, of 45, and T. C. Owens of Anson, Texas, sold a load of good range horses Saturday.

O. O. Clark, a well-known horse and mule man of Monroe, La., was at the yards last week looking for mules. Mr. Clark has been buying Texas stock for the past ten years and has always been satisfied with his purchases. A. J. Parker of Roscoe, Texas, had in the yard Saturday one load of good brood mares, 14 to 15 hands high, mostly is and es.

Letters are coming in every day from all over the country, announcing that they will be represented at the big sale which is to take place October 20 to 24.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Medium fed steers, Light fed steers, Good grass steers, Light thin steers, Choice heavy fed steers, Medium butcher cows, Light thin cows, Cows, Choice heavy cows, Choice light cows, Common to fair calves, Choice heavy sorted hogs.

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TOP PRICES LAST WEEK

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SATURDAY'S MARKETS

NORTH FORT WORTH, Oct. 3.—The usual light Saturday run of cattle came to hand this morning, five cars of 136 head comprising the receipts. Both buyers and sellers were on the ground early and the light supply changed hands on the early market at steady prices. Nothing doing in beef steers was in and the medium fed and grassers, sold at prices ranging from \$2.24.50. There was nothing extra in the cow line, the bulk of the run being fair quality range cows, which sold at \$1.50@2. One lot of calves were received on the market, but was forwarded on to St. Louis and the odd sales made showed no change from Friday's close. Bulls and stags were scarce but the market on the class of best cattle has ruled steady and active through the week's closing, today fully steady with last week's close. Very few stockers and feeders were among the receipts today, but the few sales made show the market steady and active, with the demand good.

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Sheep—Receipts, 2,500; market steady; natives, \$2.44.15; lambs, \$3.50@5.75. Official receipts yesterday, 6,878.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK NATIONAL STOCK MARKET, Oct. 3.—Cattle—11,500, including, 400 Texas; market steady; steers, \$3.50@5.55; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.50; Texas steers, \$2.50@4; cows and heifers, \$2.00@4.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; market steady; pigs and lights, \$5.00@6.20; packers, \$5.35@6; butchers, \$5.70@6.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 400; market steady; natives, \$3.00@3.50; lambs, \$4.40@5.50.

WORLD SCENES IN COTTON MARKET

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Forecast The forecast for Texas east of the one hundred meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows: North—Tonight and Sunday showers; cooler tonight, cooler Sunday; South—Tonight and Sunday showers; cooler Sunday.

Weather Conditions Forecaster George Reeder issued the following report of the weather conditions this morning: "I need not weather continues over the greater portion of the country lying between the Mississippi river and the Rocky mountains, the result of a storm disturbance which is central this morning in South Dakota; thunder storm occurred during the night in the lower Missouri valley states and thence northward to the upper lakes. Clear and colder prevail in the Rocky mountain states."

There has been no change in the cotton region; considerable cloudiness continues in the western half, but no rainfall of any importance. The weather in Fort Worth vicinity on Sunday will be generally fair and cooler.

Weather Record Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour, at 8 a. m. and rainfall in inches:

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Special Low Rate Railroad Excursions. FORT WORTH, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23.

Admission tickets and numbered reserved seats sold on show day at Anderson's Drug Store, 712 Main St., at the same prices as charged at the regular ticket wagons on the show grounds.

Advertisement for FRISCO SYSTEM. Features include: SHERMAN, TEX., Round Trip, October 4 and 5, \$3.30; ST. LOUIS, MO., Round Trip, October 3, 4, 5, \$19.90; KANSAS CITY, MO., Round Trip, Oct. 17, 18, 19, \$16.50; DETROIT, MICH., Round Trip, October, 14, 15, \$34.15.

Advertisement for J. B. MORROW, C.T.A. Wheat Bldg., Phone No. 2.

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THE BALKAN TROUBLE.

Why Judge Hathorner Regards Case of Bulgarians as Hopeless. Judge George S. Hathorner, who continues to call Saratoga "home" despite thirteen years of official residence in the orient, halted long enough at the Fifth Avenue hotel, in New York, to prepare for his passage on the Deutschland, outbound to his present post of duty at Alexandria, Egypt, says the New York Tribune. He was advanced by President Roosevelt in 1902 to his present place as a member of the supreme court of appeals of the international tribunal. Speaking of the disorders that now so deeply involve Bulgaria, he said: "Of course, I sympathize with the Bulgarians. There is the same struggle that the Cubans waged for liberty but it is a hopeless struggle. The Bulgarians lack numerical strength, they lack organization and lack both the money and munitions of war necessary to cope with Turkey, which has a large army, well organized by the Germans. The Bulgarians can only carry on a guerrilla warfare and can make a lot of trouble for the Turks while also making much for themselves. The conflict will soon burn itself out, for the reason that it is not to the interest of the powers to contribute to the disintegration of the Turkish empire. It is especially the interest of England and Austria to have Turkey stand as a barrier to Russian expansion toward the Mediterranean."

"Much is said of the cruelties that are practiced and in this connection it should be understood that the eastern peoples have not been trained in the amenities of modern warfare. The Bulgarians, described in general terms, are Greek Christians. They are not pagans, but Unitarians. They believe in one God and regard Christ as a divine personage—a teacher and a prophet. They are held together by the ties of mutual hardships experienced in their daily lives and in their religious sympathies. The Turks are bound together by interest and religion. No such thing as patriotism exists among Turks. It is my observation, however, that Mahomedans are more tolerant than Christians under similar conditions of provocation. I consider that the Beirut matter was purely a local affair, in which we are not called upon to interfere any more than might seem to foreign power if a riot developed in one of our city streets. The general feeling and inclination of western Christian peoples that they should interfere in Mahomedan affairs is, in my judgment, unjustifiable and unnecessary. It is not our business and is out of our sphere."

ATHLETICS UNDER GLASS.

Inclosed Field For Early Training of Yale Teams. It was given out at New Haven, Conn., the other night that Yale was to have a new indoor baseball and athletic field to cost \$300,000 through the generosity of the Byers family of Pittsburgh, says the Boston Herald. For some time the Yale athletic officials have been desirous of a field of the kind adjoining the Yale gym and inclosed under glass, but the cost of the work was too great to make any definite plans. The chief expense, it was claimed, would be the structural iron work, and it was said that this part of the outfit will be subscribed by the alumni. If the plan is carried out by the beginning of the training season of next January Yale will have the finest indoor athletic field in the world. The Byers family has just presented the university with a new \$150,000 hall, which will be opened for the first time when college begins. Four sons of the family have graduated from Yale during the last ten years, and the fifth is now in college. All have been prominently connected with athletics while in college.

DOG FISH FOR DINNER.

Professor Field Pronounces the New Food a Delicacy. Professor Irving Ansell Field of Harvard university has been striding at Wood's Hole, Mass., fishes of no food value and their destruction of the food fishes, says the New York Tribune. Experimenting with dogfish, the scourge of fishermen and lobster catchers along the coast, he has found that the dogfish, when properly cleaned and cooked, is a very dainty edible, with a fine flavor. The dogfish feeds on lobsters and crabs, frequenting clean sandy beaches, and is therefore one of the cleanest of sea fish.

To a class at the summer institute last long ago Professor Field served a dinner of dogfish, without telling what it was until all had eaten. Every one agreed that it was delicious. The fish was fried or broiled. Professor Field is now studying various ways of utilizing the fish commercially aside from food.

Professor Bell's New Move. Professor Alexander Graham Bell has resigned the presidency of the National Geographical society in order that he may devote a year to experimenting in a kite flying machine. He is still a regent of the Smithsonian institution.

Railway Lines For Alaska. Four hundred and thirteen miles of railway are to be built in Alaska.

British Tebbie to Captain Barr. Barr, Barr, Yankee, have you won the score?

W. W. HERRSHOFFER, three times over! Won for the little cup that stays in the States.

—London Globe.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Boy with horse to carry papers in North Fort Worth. See Mr. Calkins at this office.

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BOYS—Do you want to make money? If so call at The Telegram for particulars. Boys who are good hustlers can make from \$3 to \$4 every week.

WANTED—A boy to deliver a route. Apply to circulation manager at Telegram office.

I WANT a first class cook, German or Swede preferred. Mrs. J. B. Mitchell, 1205 East Bakpan street.

WANTED—All young men to know the Niblos are at Fourteenth and Main streets, and they tell you what you are best adapted for in life. Scientific palm lists.

WANTED—Collectors and solicitors. Call room 4, Victoria building, Sunday, between 10 and 12 o'clock. P. A. Kunkel, superintendent.

WANTED—Two reliable specialty men for Texas and Louisiana; holiday line; hustlers can net \$300 per month or better. Box 470, Kansas City, Mo.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—All kinds of ad and office women of all denominations to see the Niblos in all matters of love, courtship and business. Corner Fourteenth and Main streets.

WANTED—Experienced lady marker and bundler. Apply Curran's Hand Laundry, Sixth and Burnett streets.

\$35 A HUNDRED writing letters home. Materials furnished. No check. Particulars enclosed. Woman's Remedy Company, Dept. CG, Chicago, Ill.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. 306 East Third street.

FOR RENT—Three large unfurnished rooms, with water and bath, on car line. 1005 East Front street.

FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished. References required. 1005 Lamar street.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Unfurnished, for housekeeping, two short blocks from car line. 1027 S. Calhoun street.

LADIES having fancy work to sell—Doilies, centerpieces, Battenberg and drawwork. All kinds of fancy work sold on commission; send stamped envelope to Ladies Exchange, 34 Monroe street, Chicago, Ill.

PERSONAL

IF YOU HAVE \$1,500 to \$5,000 and wish to make some fast money on the best of the best, call on me. I have rights for sale; "Texas reserved"; don't write without you mean business. James B. Alken, Lipan, Tex. Box 47.

I AM EXTENDING my business and must have second-hand goods to meet the demand of my customers and rental customers. I also exchange new goods for old and, therefore, will pay more for second-hand furniture and stocks than any other dealer in the city. 1218 Second Hand Store, corner First and Houston streets. Phone 1329.

REPAIRING first-class sewing machines and bicycles. T. P. Day, 414 Houston street.

WANTED—All second hand furniture in good get. 202 Houston street. J. A. Graves.

DENTISTS

DR. H. C. SLAGER, dentist, 203 1/2 Houston street. Phone 1599. Five dollars for the best set of teeth in the world for twenty days. Ask about Currie or Justice's teeth, which have carried off all medals and premiums of the world for the past twenty years. All other strictly high-class work at corresponding low prices. Eighteen years at the business.

DR. J. F. GRAMMER, Dentist, 506 Main street over Mitchell's Jewelry store.

DR. TAYLOR (Colored)—Specialist in genito-urinary diseases. 112 W. 11th st.

DR. GARRISON, Dentist. The best in cheapest. Corner Fourth and Main streets. Phone 734-4 rings.

CONSULT the "Queen of Phrenologists," Madame Lilla D. Windsor, corner Ninth and Main, Hyde Flats. Call at once.

LADIES taken before and during confinement. Infants adopted. All complaints of women treated by a specialist. Address, Box 406, Dallas, Texas.

DR. J. E. SINGLETON, Dentist—Crown and bridge work, \$40 work guaranteed. Office, 703 1/2 Main street.

MARRIAGE DIRECTORY free to all. Pay when married. New plan, send no money. For particulars address, H. A. Horton, Dept. 169, Tonkashu, Mich.

WOMEN ONLY—Specially free, \$1,000 guarantee if I don't relieve abnormal suppression from any cause; 10,000 testimonials; information free. Dr. Martha Walker Co., 1163 State street, Chicago.

LADIES—Our harmless remedy relieves without fail abnormal, delayed or suppressed menstruation. For free trial address Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

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WANTED—All second hand furniture in good get. 202 Houston street. J. A. Graves.

W. W. HERRSHOFFER, election, oratory, dramatic art. 408 Houston.

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FOR ONE DOLLAR A MONTH THE FORT WORTH PANORAMUM presented four suits and shines your shoes every day. Steadfast and dyeing. Ladies' work a specialty. Clothes called for and delivered. Phone 1528. 111 West Sixth street. B. D. KEITH, Manager.

TO DALLAS—45 cents; round trip, 90 cents. Girard Ticket Office, 1616 Main street.

AWNINGS MADE TO ORDER. Phone 1671 ring. J. P. Scott.

Kansas City barbecue meats. Call and see us at Thirteenth and Houston.

SEAYS HOTEL, Balrd, Texas—Best modern hotel; free sample-room. Commercial men solicited. Rates \$2 per day. Mrs. E. Sigal, proprietress.

HOTEL MONTFORT of Weatherford, Texas—All modern conveniences at \$2 per day. Major J. F. Montfort, proprietor.

LET Parsley & Edwards Storage Co., 1205-7 Houston street, do your moving. Furniture packed, shipped and delivered. Piano hauling a specialty. Phone No. 682.

ARTESIAN BATH, 15c. Shirts laundered, 3c; collars, 2c; 15c shirts for 10c. E. Gutzman, Ninth, between Main and Houston streets.

C. S. MCCARVER sells real estate at Polychrome Heights. Address him at College.

IT JUST COMES NATURAL when the people want new or second-hand furniture, stoves, etc., and knowing they will be treated right and get the best prices, to go to Standley's Furniture Store, corner Third and Houston.

EUROPEAN HOTEL, Henrietta, Texas, rates \$1 per day. C. A. Stratton, prop.

THLAMO HOTEL, Midland, Texas—Miss Thomas, manager. The new manager, hotel of West Texas. Rates \$2 per day. Commercial trade solicited.

IF YOU ARE WORRYING or in trouble of any kind, consult the Niblos, corner Fourteenth and Main streets.

BOARD AND ROOMS—W. K. Richardson, 404 West First street.

WANTED—Second hand delivery wagon with shaves. Must be strong and in repair. Address lock box 1911.

WANTED—A good cow; one that gives three or four gallons daily. Apply 905 West Weatherford.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping with quiet family; no children. Address, B. B. Telegram.

ACCORDION TUNING—Also skirts repaired, full set of buttons. For information write box 212, Marine, Texas.

CATTLEMAN—See us for fine grazing land, 200-300 acres, blocks to suit; farms and suburban property to exchange for city property; 2,500 acres for \$1,250 cash, \$2,500 balance in forty years with 3 per cent interest; bargain in 65,000 acres; 18,000 acres and 1,200 cattle at a bargain. We are headquarters for anything you want to buy, sell, exchange or rent; any kind of merchandise stocks to suit the purchaser; a 9 per cent dividend proposition in stock. E. T. Odum & Co., 319 Houston street, Phone 771-2 rings.

Go C Nix Furniture and Storage store, Fort Worth's greatest bargain store, 302-4 Houston street. When buying furniture, call on Nix Furniture and Storage. When exchanging furniture and when storing furniture.

IF YOU WANT AN INVESTMENT THIS WILL INTEREST YOU—Corner lot, 200 1/2 feet, to a 12-foot alley. In Seventh ward. Three blocks from street car and convenient to schools. Price \$350, all on time on 10 per cent off for cash. Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets.

REAR RENOVATING WORKS—Carpets, Rugs, Feathers and Mattresses renovated. Mrs. S. Renovating Works, Phone 197-1 ring.

FOR ALL kinds of scavenger work, phone 918. Lee Taylor.

DENTON HOTEL—One block from depot and same from square. Nice cool rooms. Rates \$1 and \$1.25. F. M. Allen, proprietor.

WANTED—Boarders, new house, South of town, supplied with the best the market affords, also table boarders. 613 East Fourth street.

HARNESS washed, oiled and repaired. For your health, call on J. A. Clary, manager, 600 Houston street. Phone 56 2 rings.

OUR OBJECT is to lead; let others follow. If you follow the crowd they will lead you always to Nix Furniture and Storage House, 302-4 Houston street.

THERE is no place better to buy furniture, cook and heating stoves, than Standley's. Our goods will stand inspection. Our prices will stand comparison. Call on E. H. Standley, Third and Houston streets.

WANTED—A horse for its keep; must be gentle. Address, W. L. care Telegram.

Five-year, new frame cottage, lot 57x100 feet. Price \$1,250. Will take lot as part payment; south side. Six-room, frame cottage, bath, sewer, lot 20x120 feet. Price \$1,900; very easy payments; east side. Five-room cottage, lot 50x100 feet, corner. Price, \$1,000; east side; easy payments. Near Rock Island shops, five-room cottage, lot 50x100, corner. Price, \$1,000; \$100 cash, balance \$15 monthly. Five-room sandy land farm; fine fruit, blueberries and pig pasture. See us for price and terms. North Side—Six-room cottage, lot 50x110 feet. At a bargain.

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HIS FIRST... MATRIMONIAL CASE

Original. "They're still enough and crabbed lookin' enough to have been married, ten years." It was the driver of a one horse vehicle who spoke. He was driving a young couple up a long, winding road to a summer hotel. They had spent three weeks on a wedding trip and were on the morrow to be again at the home they had so recently left, a happy bride and groom. When they reached the hotel they alighted in view of guests lounging on the piazza. "Brother and sister," remarked one. "No. They're young, but they've been long married," said another. "I put them down as bride and groom who are in the midst of their first quarrel," said an experienced matron. Unfortunately there was an hour before dinner, and the couple must talk. There was nothing else to do. "This all comes," said the man, "of your not respecting confidences. Nothing would tempt me to read any letter belonging to you. The note was not addressed to you, but to Miss Torbert." "Herbert and Torbert look enough alike to be mistaken one for the other. Besides, I care nothing how I came into possession of this information. It is what I have discovered. Three weeks after marriage I learn that my husband loves another woman and only married me because he couldn't help himself." "Emily, I'll admit it looks black, but give me time. I may be able to clear the thing away." "Clear it away? Isn't it down in black and white in your own handwriting?" "It is all a matter of faith. If I had discovered such a letter written by you and you told me there was an explanation I would believe you." "Then why is the explanation not forthcoming?" "It would be useless till I have the wherewithal to prove it." "I see; the story might not fit the proof." "Emily, you are charging me with what is dishonorable." "Nothing said to a woman is considered dishonorable by some men." "This is unbearable. I will go downstairs till dinner. I will meet you on the piazza." He was passing through the office when he handed some letters. One was from his bosom friend, his chum of years, his confidant. He had no sooner read it than he started to go back to his wife, but reconsidered the matter. "How I ever came," he muttered, "to leave that letter undestroyed is a mystery. I suppose my not doing so came about in the hurry of preparation." When his wife came down he led her to a table set for two by a window overlooking a lawn and garden, in the center of which flashed a fountain. "Sweetheart," he said while they spooned their soup, "the proof of my innocence has unexpectedly come to me." She looked up at him eagerly. "But," he continued, "the case is a complicated one, and it behooves me to be very careful about bringing the evidence. Of course as a lawyer I know the dangers of calling a witness without first establishing his character for truth and veracity." "Don't keep me waiting." "First you must grant that the letter having been found by you only this morning, there would be no time for me to write home and have a letter concocted to cover the case." "Certainly not. Go on." "Second, I must give you the name of my principal and only witness and ask you if you would believe him." "Of course I would. Who is he?" "Lawrence Ward." "He'd do anything for you." "You are right. He'd lie for me if necessary, but in this case there's been no time, as you have admitted, for collusion." "For heaven's sake stop all this talk and tell me what you're coming to!" "One moment. It is my custom when I have a case, if I am sure to win to have a bottle of champagne on ice for a celebration. Waiter, bring me a wine card." It was not till the young husband saw the wine deposited beside him that he threw a letter across the table to his wife. She seized it and devoured it greedily, while the husband ordered the wine to be opened. The letter read: In obedience to your letter stating that you had decided not to send the message you had written Maxian J., but wished me to tell her its contents, I went to her and had an hour's conversation with her. Whenever much smarter than men about some things, and the lady saw through your device from the first. The hint I threw out that you preferred her to the girl you were to marry she scooted, inasmuch as she was rich and your wife poor. However, your fear of a "woman scorned" is groundless, for you have been for some time supplanting without knowing it. She laughingly asked me to announce her engagement and beg of you to waste no more time trying to smooth over what needs no smoothing. However, I consider your attempt to mollify her prudent if not wise, for she is a dangerous woman and would have made it hot for you if she had wanted you for herself. In conclusion, she told me to say to you that she knew a year ago that your heart was given to the woman you have married. When the wife looked up at her husband there was relief in her eyes. Their hands met under the table and the man, raising his glass, proposed as a toast, "My first matrimonial case." WILBER J. MORTON.

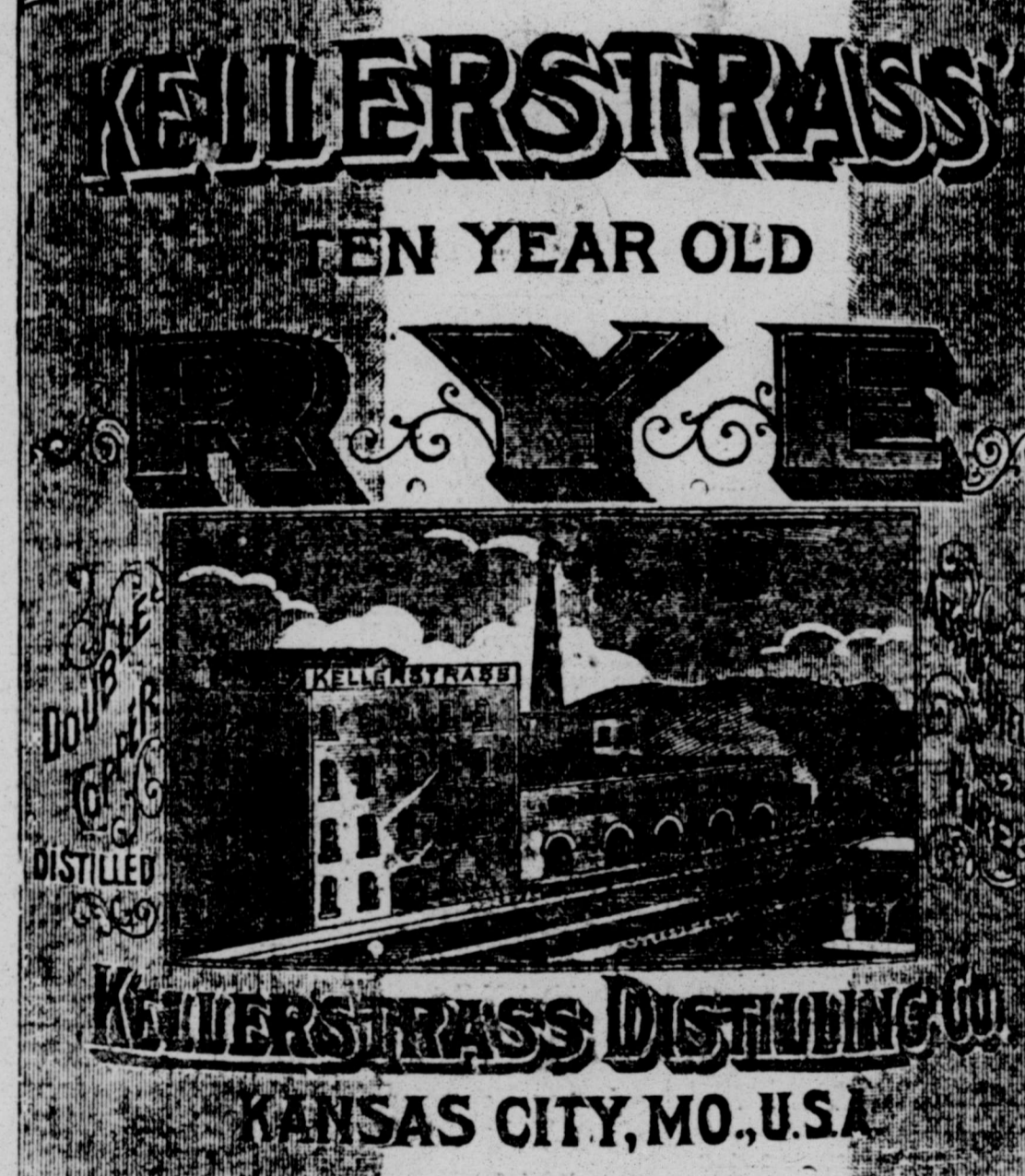
WORDS OF PRAISE

The Following Indorsements from the Press, Financial Institutions and Customers Prove Not Only the Great Merit of the Kellerstrass Whisky, but the Company to be the Greatest Distilling Company in the World. The Kellerstrass Distilling Company of Kansas City, Mo., the proprietors of Kellerstrass Rye Whisky, have one of the most completely equipped plants of its kind in the world. They make the whisky, bottle it, ship it for shipment and send it direct to the consumer without ever allowing it to pass through the hands of the dealer. By this method of dealing the purity of the whisky is insured, and the company can guarantee its uniform quality and flavor to the consumer.—St. Louis Republic, Nov. 9, 1902. Kellerstrass Rye is the best known whisky in the world. Every town and hamlet from one end of the country to the other has its regular patrons of the Kellerstrass Distilling Company of Kansas City, Mo. The phenomenal success of this company is due to the merit of its whisky. They are extensive advertisers, but we know from years of experience in the newspaper business that unless an article has real merit, advertising cannot make its sale profitable.—New York World, Nov. 5, 1902. The delicious flavor and the purity of Kellerstrass Rye is proverbial. This well known whisky is made by the Kellerstrass Distilling Company of Kansas City, Mo. Millions of bottles of it have been sold, and not a single customer has ever expressed his dissatisfaction. This is a remarkable record and certainly speaks well for the high grade of this famous whisky.—Chicago American, Nov. 8, 1902. A striking example of the wonderful results produced by modern business methods is the Kellerstrass Distilling Co., of Kansas City, Mo. This company sells whisky by mail and has thousands of customers residing in all parts of the country.—New York Journal, Nov. 4, 1902. It pays to satisfy people at this day and age. The merchant who sells on the "satisfaction or money back" plan and adheres to it strictly, is seldom heard to complain of a scarcity of business. The Kellerstrass Distilling Co. of Kansas City, Mo., has fully 200,000 customers, every one of whom claims to be satisfied. Their great success under these conditions is not so remarkable after all.—Minneapolis Farmers' Tribune, Nov. 7, 1902. The development of the mail order business in the last few years has been little short of marvelous. It is now possible to buy and sell almost anything on the internet. The Kellerstrass Distilling Co. of Kansas City, Mo., which has long been famous for the purity of its whisky, has adopted the plan of selling direct to the customer. The business of this company has developed until the entire output of its distillery is now sold in this way, and it is said the express companies are almost swamped by the enormous shipments that go out from the Kellerstrass Company every day.—Commercial Appeal, Memphis, Nov. 4, 1902. Kellerstrass Rye, the famous whisky of the Kellerstrass Distilling Company of Kansas City, Mo., is known and used by more people than any other brand of whisky. Its wonderful popularity is due to its absolute purity and delightful flavor. In order to avoid any possibility of adulteration, the Kellerstrass Company ships their whisky direct from their distillery to the customer, never selling to dealers under any circumstances. They guarantee the quality of the whisky, and will refund money in case it does not prove perfectly satisfactory. That it is all they claim is proven by the fact that the company has over 325,000 regular customers residing in all parts of the United States and Canada.—Hartington (Pa.) Hawkeye, Nov. 18, 1902. Kansas City, Mo., boasts of the fact that it has the largest mail order whisky house in the world. This is the Kellerstrass Distilling Company, which has established a national reputation for the purity of its whisky. This company has fully 200,000 customers and ships whisky to every state and territory in the union.—Houston Post, Nov. 4, 1902. To eliminate the middlemen's profits and the expense of handling goods twice is to lower the price to the consumer without lowering the quality. This is an abstract proposition that has been concretely applied by the Kellerstrass Distilling Company of Kansas City, Mo. This combination of low price and high quality has resulted in building up a business that threatens to make Kentucky look to her laurels. The company manufactures and bottles its own goods and ships direct to the consumer. It turns out 54,000 quarts of whisky every 24 hours. Its payments to express companies amount to \$75,000 a year, and it spent \$16,000 last year for postage. A year ago the company went into quarters of its own, and twice since then it has had to secure space in adjoining buildings. So completely has Mr. Kellerstrass organized his immense business that it is characterized by cleanliness and promptness, no less than by right prices and quality.—Chicago Inter Ocean, Nov. 8, 1902. The adulteration of whisky has become so universal a practice it is almost impossible for the consumer to secure at any price whisky that is absolutely pure. This is not the fault of the distiller, but the middleman or retail dealer. The Kellerstrass Distilling Company of Kansas City, Mo., has insured its whisky reaching the consumer in the same pure state that it leaves the distillery. 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This company, which is located in Kansas City, Mo., has achieved its great success by selling the highest grade whisky at a price heretofore charged for the inferior grades.—St. Joseph Gazette, Nov. 16, 1902. The American National Bank of Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 27, 1902.—To Whom It May Concern: We take pleasure in recommending to the business community the Kellerstrass Distilling Company of Kansas City, Mo., of which Mr. Ernest Kellerstrass is president. Ever since they were established in this city they have transacted their banking business with us and we have watched with interest the wonderful growth of their business. Their phenomenal success is an unflinching indication of integrity, knowledge and indefatigable energy. We have given them permission to use our bank as reference, having answered many inquiries about them, and there is not a single case reported to us that did not come up to our recommendation. We wish this progressive firm abundant success in the future, to which they are certainly entitled, and no doubt will obtain. Very truly yours, G. B. GRAY, Cashier. Traders' Bank of Kansas City, Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 27, 1902.—To Whom It May Concern: I take pleasure in stating that I have for several years done business with the Kellerstrass Distilling Company of this city, of which Mr. Ernest Kellerstrass is president, and that our relations have been most satisfactory. Their credit standing is first class, and the wonderful growth of their business during the past five years is abundant evidence of their square dealings with their customers. Yours very truly, J. R. DOMINICK, President. Hamburg, Ark., Sept. 17, 1902.—Kellerstrass Distilling Company, Kansas City, Mo.: Gentlemen: I desire to say a word in favor of your whisky. I have been using it for nearly three years and I can truly say that it is the most delightful and invigorating beverage that I have ever drunk; for purity and excellence it is unsurpassed. Before I began using it I suffered greatly with general debility, but since using it my health is greatly improved and my farm work has become a real pleasure. Yours truly, W. E. WHETSTONE. We have testimonials like the above from over 200 newspapers and over 50,000 customers.

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She walks unnoticed in the street;
The casual eye
Sees nothing in her fair or sweet,

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That art Worth needs a street cleaning department is one of the truisms that people have repeated until they are tired.

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places should take a walk up Main street.
As the corner of Fifth there will be seen conditions the like of which should not be anywhere, not even in quarters for lower animals.

We are hearing much just now about the water system. The presence of the yellow fever on Texas soil recalls the epidemic of twenty years ago when Florida had a time with this dread disease.

A very interesting musical was given at the Rosen Heights hotel by Mrs. Snell, Miss Ruth Messers, Miss M. Cook and Miss Schumann, being assisted by Mr. Sayers and Dr. Blunt.

The crosses of honor will be conferred on Confederate veterans by the Julia Jackson chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, on Friday evening instead of Thursday, as at first announced.

The occasion which decided his habitat was a dinner at Dallas last Thursday evening where with Governor Hoag and Messrs. Block and Blake he met Messrs. Edgington, Newlin of Fort Worth and the Messrs. Crawford.

withdrawal of the Christian Tabernacle from general use.
The visitors are to begin their fifth years' work better equipped and trained than ever. They have practiced during the summer and the work has brought forth commendable results.

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At The Theater

Coming this week: Tim Murphy Monday night. Gagnon-Pollock Company four nights. Mason and Mason Saturday night.

The month of September has been very pleasant from a theatrical standpoint. While there have been no attractions of exceptional merit, there have been numerous companies offering a pleasant entertainment for an evening at a price which all could reach.

The last week has been pleasantly spent with the Arnold Stock company. Manager Arnold has a good company of repertoire people, and with him was a favorite in Fort Worth, Mr. McDonald, who has always pleased. Last night McFadden's Row of Flats gave a delightful entertainment. The flats is the same today as every year—a jolly good time. The audience enjoys it and the company appears to it. It is comedy from start to finish and those who spend the evening with the company certainly enjoy the "whole show."

October promises some celebrities. Tim Murphy opens the week with "The Man from Missouri," and in addition to other attractions there is "Pickings from Puck," a fine comedy, Eben Holden and De Wolf Hopper. Hopper finishes the month. The list for October is as follows:

Oct. 5—Tim Murphy in "The Man from Missouri."
 Oct. 6—Gagnon Pollock Company.
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 Oct. 10—Mason and Mason in "Rudolph and Adolph."
 Oct. 12—Root Gardner.
 Oct. 13—Devil's Auction.
 Oct. 14—"The Land of Cotton."
 Oct. 15—Hello Hill.
 Oct. 21—Dora Thorne.
 Oct. 22—Root Gardner.
 Oct. 23—Sweet Jasmine.
 Oct. 24—"The Two Little Waifs."
 Oct. 26—Pickings from Puck.
 Oct. 28—Eben Holden.
 Oct. 30—DeWolf Hopper in "Mr. Pickwick."

Oct. 31—DeWolf Hopper in "Mr. Pickwick."
 Monday night the curtain will not rise until 9 p. m.
 The Gagnon-Pollock Company will follow for a four nights engagement commencing Tuesday night. Matinees are to be given Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Opening play Tuesday night "Sheridan Keene, Detective." A change of bill at each performance. Ladies to be admitted free Tuesday night under usual conditions and to close the week, Saturday matinee and night, Broadhurst and Curtis present Dan Mason and Charles Mason, the two emperors of Germany in their latest success, "Rudolph and Adolph."

MR. TIM MURPHY
 Mr. Tim Murphy and a capable company of players including Miss Dorothy Sherrod comes to Greenwall's opera house Monday matinee and night, October 5th, presenting his latest and greatest success, "The Man from Missouri" by George V. Hobart and Edward E. Rose.

While the "Man from Missouri" may not be a masterpiece, it is full of bright touches. In the present day and generation very few geniuses march into Paris with a "chef d'œuvre sous le bras" much less in New York. If George V. Hobart and Edward E. Rose have not in "The Man from Missouri" created a far less piece of work, they have constructed a play that gives ample opportunity for Mr. Murphy to display his peculiar powers of vigorous and beautiful humor, and at the same time it is vivified by sufficient action, color and contrast to make it piquant and entertaining.

"The Man from Missouri" is a little wild when he first breaks into Washington society by appearing over the garden wall. He is full of slang and the unconventional strength of expression of the West. He wields two pistols, Marguerite and Juliette. But when Mr. Man is put into a dress suit in the second act his extremeness abates a little of its strenuousness and the rough diamond shows

more than ordinary ability and a large chorus of the prettiest girls to be found in New York has also been engaged, as much care has been exercised in the selection of the chorus as in usual with the producers in composing an organization of this kind and the result is most gratifying, as there is not a girl in the company but who is capable of singing a solo number if called upon to do so. This scarce they receive in equal to the amount usually paid many of the principals by other managers. As Messrs. Broadhurst and Curtis, the managers of "Rudolph and Adolph," supply the wardrobe, it is needless to say the costumes are on a scale of magnificence rarely seen and "Rudolph and Adolph" this season is not only one of the funniest and best musical comedies on tour but one of the most important and largest.

PLAYS COMING SOON
 "Way Down East" has come to be regarded as a classic among the wholesome and picturesque plays with its depiction of life in New England. It will be presented upon an even more elaborate scale than last season when it tested the ca-



Charles B. Hanford announces that he will use the traditional "Coker" cipher revision of Richard III in the spectacular revival of the tragedy which largely arranged for production in November, 1902 with his head so much for "Blackburnian" and some of the other Chibber interpretations have been resented by critics, but Mr. Hanford has popular approval and eminent artistic precedent for retaining them.

Mabel Hill's "Sambro" song, one of the greatest hits in "The Chaperones" last season, has wisely been retained in the musical score this year, although many introductions of new music have, it is said, been made.

Mr. Nankeville has always maintained that the best is not the best for the public, and if by any possible chance he can better his companies, he never fails to do so. It is in this policy he attributes the wonderful success of "Human Hearts" with the theater-going public.

"The famous spectacle, Chas. H. Yale's 'Everbearing' 'Devils' Auction,' although old in title, has as its exciting search rolls around, proved conclusively its right to the claim that it presents specially a larger amount of new novelties, novel and exclusive features, etc., than any like attraction.

Love, the ever resourceful theme of the playwright, will have a capable exponent through the quaint personality of Harry Borsford who for this season's offering will give the theater-going public a clever conception of Professor Goodwill in J. H. Barrie's brightest work, "The Professor's Love Story." Those who have seen this same author's play "The Little Minister," and have read his great character sketches, may well anticipate a treat. The professor as played by Mr. Borsford will give us a conception that may be classed new to the stage.

That it is not necessary to have a New York endorsement in order to qualify in the shadoks was thoroughly demonstrated last season when John C. Fisher took the "Silver Slipper" to the cities of New Haven and Springfield for a "try out" before beginning the New York engagement. Only five nights were allotted those points and yet the receipts were \$9,475.

Among the several fine musical attractions looked the present season is the DeWolf Hopper Opera company. This organization is headed by DeWolf Hopper, the noted comedian, who made "Wank," "El Capitano," "The Chatterbox," and other operas famous, and consists of seventy people. The company will present "Mr. Pickwick," a musical production of Charles Dinkley's famous classic, "The Pickwick Papers," and Mr. Hopper will appear in the title role.

GAGNON-POLLOCK CO.
 On Tuesday night, October 6th, the Gagnon-Pollock Company open a four nights' engagement. Matinees are to be given Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The opening bill, Tuesday night will be the sensational melodrama, "Sheridan Keene, Detective." A change of bill at each performance is promised and specialties between the acts by famous vaudeville people. Ladies are to be admitted free Tuesday night when accompanied by a person with a paid 20 cent ticket if purchased before 9 p. m. Tuesday.

The Dallas News speaking of this excellent repertory attraction said: "The sensational melodrama, 'Sheridan Keene, Detective,' produced by the Gagnon-Pollock Stock company last night at the opera house met with the approval of the large audience. The play is in four acts, with Bert C. Gagnon playing the leading role as the detective having to personate five different characters. He handled these changes in a very creditable manner. Mr. Gagnon treats the part of Sheridan Keene with considerable artistic skill. He was well supported by Miss Edith Pollock as Grace Huntington. Keene's sweetheart. The balance of the cast was in good hands. Messrs. Mortad, Goodwin, Brower and Champin deserving special mention. The characterization of Angel the Rubberneckler by Miss Carrie Wilson, who sang in the specialties that were given Gagnon and Pollock in their rag time opera made a stir with their novelty, which won them much applause. Lou Wheeler and Baby Wilson were excellent in their portrayal."

MASON AND MASON
 "Rudolph and Adolph," with Mason and Mason, the German emperors in the stellar roles which comes to Greenwall's opera house, Saturday, matinee and night, October 10th, is not only one of the funniest comedies ever written but this season is considered the prize beauty show as well. Many new songs and original musical numbers have been added and every member of the large company is a singer of

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Another style worthy of notice is a tailored Suit of diagonal mixture in green and white; has a 36-inch Jacket full pouch front, collarless style, trimmed with insets of green velvet and fancy braid; metal buttons are also used. The Skirt is trimmed to match the jacket, with buttons and braid—a dressy creation for twenty-five dollars; then this style is worthy of more than a mere mention, a tailored Suit of black cheviot, Russian blouse jacket, thirty inches long, full front, collarless; Jacket is satin lined and trimmed down the front with fancy silk braid and silk cord medallions and pendants, fancy braid trimmed capes over shoulders; Skirt is plain flared walking length, and the price only twenty-two fifty. Last among new arrivals—but by no means least in the importance of the showing, we mention Children's Coats, Jackets and Reefers—they are in endless variety—many new and pleasing styles and materials are shown. See them Monday in the suit department.



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 Space will permit merely a mention of a very few of the new and beautiful materials on exhibition now—more coming daily.
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The Tale of a Kicker

One day young Mr. Plumetall was sitting in the sands of the desert, sunning himself and dressing his beautiful tail feathers.

"What funny kind of things men are," he said to himself. "They pull out our beautiful feathers, which are so useful to us, and then stick them on the hats of their wives and daughters and then they turn around the next moment and despise us and say we are 'simple'."

"There is one of those simple birds. They are the largest of their kind, and yet have no way to protect themselves except to run away. Just look at him now, with his head down in the sand. I shall advance slowly upon him, grab a handful of feathers and my fortune is made."

Mr. Arab stole up softly, creeping on hands and feet. Mr. Plumetall chuckled to himself under the sand and kept very still.

An Animal Story For Little Folks

How the Rooster Learned a Lesson

There was a rooster that was so large that a boy hitched him up to a wagon and drove him up and down the road.

"All!" exclaimed the rooster. "It is much nicer to be a horse than a rooster. I shall always be a horse."

Mr. Rooster made an effort to make a meal of these, but without success, nor was he able to sleep standing up there in the stall.

THE CORPORAL'S JAG—BY CYRUS DERICKSON

Troop A of the Seventh Cavalry used to brag of its Corporal O'Toole. He was up in drill, marksmanship, athletics and all questions of discipline, and any dispute over social etiquette was referred to him.

"It does, sergeant," replied the Don Juan. "Then stay and attend to yer duties." "I will, sir."

Three or four days later Susie Finnegan arrived. She was a soldier's daughter, born in garrison, and Native born and plenty of wit, she had always been the queen of the barracks and a favorite with the officers' wives.

IN A MASQUERADE—BY HARRIET G. CANFIELD

Leslie Wolcott threw himself on the green bench near the stone wall, it was shady there, under the big maple. He had been in the fields all day, directing his men and working with them.

"I'll take a little nap," he said drowsily, and then sat bolt upright. Someone on the other side of the wall was speaking his name.

"Fore-sight!" the girlish voice cried indignantly. "I've never met Mr. Wolcott, and I've no desire to meet him. The very fact that he is rich is enough to prejudice me against him!"

"Please, sir, I don't think I like being a horse. Please let me be a rooster again." And his master was a good person and granted his request—Atlanta County.

Two of the Extra People—BY W. W. HINES

Sometimes they are called "super-numeraries" or, in derision, "supes," but stage hand and the people themselves take more kindly to the more commonly used term "extra people."

Neither had noticed the other until then on the dimly-lighted stage. And the first look, which brought recognition, caused each to start.

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A KERRY COWARD—BY LOUISE CUMMINS

Mike Carney sat loosely on a heap of slag during the last two minutes of the noon hour, the empty dinner pail, which hung from his locked fingers, swinging backwards and forwards rhythmically between his knees.

Like a felled log the foreman went down. Her white face and wide-open eyes still held the tremulousness of one who had recently been in the darkness of a great fear.

"There, dear, don't go over it any more," Hartman came around the table and put his hand on his wife's shoulder.

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HE JUMPED HIGH IN THE AIR.



Shooting, shouting and swearing.



At this the man started.

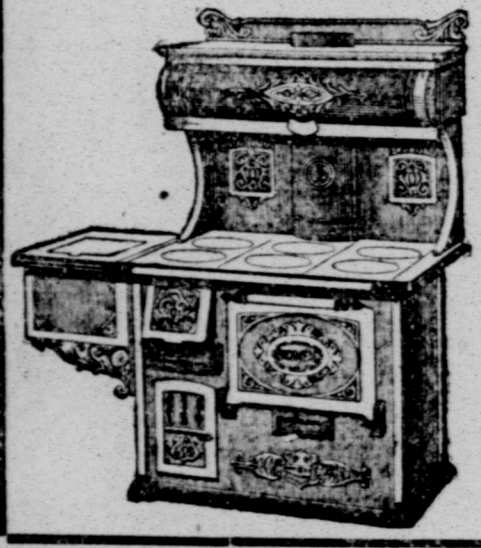


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More Edens to conquer?" she asked lightly.

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(Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyrighted, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) PARIS, Oct. 2.—Winter Paris fashions prove that the day of dull attire has passed. Gaiety is the dominant note in fashion. Marquise De Ganey, Countess De Casteiane, Countess De Bearne, Mrs. John Monroe and other leaders of fashion are appearing in costumes and hats copied from the periods of the first and second empire. Hence, the popularity of the widely flounced skirt, pagoda sleeves and Duchesse De Berry hats. Fashionable American women and Parisiennes promading the Rue De Paix nowadays look as if they had gowned themselves in the models of the heroines of Balzac's earlier novels. Modistes say the revival of the styles of the period of Balzac is likely to be followed by a revival of interest in the novelist's works. It has been years since Parisiennes have been so picturesquely gowned.

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The Harvest Is Ripe and the Laborers Verily Few
CROWLEY, La., Oct. 3.—Rice farmers in this section and all over Louisiana are hunting for harvest hands. The labor problem has become very serious.

KAISSER USES A FENCE
VIENNA, Oct. 3.—Sportsmen are laughing in their sleeves at the fact just discovered that the German Kaiser is not the mighty nimrod he poses as being. When the emperor of Austria goes bear hunting he accepts all the risks of the dangerous sport. A Kaiser William is not so reckless. The Kaiser recently was the guest of the emperor at a bear hunt. It has just been disclosed that the Kaiser, who likes sport without risks, protects himself from the possible charge of a wounded bear by a portable iron shield like a fence which is interposed between himself and the bear. Protected by this armor he slays the bears without being hurt by the bearers' scree from their perilous rushes. It is reported his majesty explains the use of the shield as a gun rest, but Viennese huntsmen declare it is bear proof.

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Jealousy

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AS THE SUN must rise three hundred and sixty-five mornings each year, and as the tides must continue to ebb and flow over and over again, so must truth be repeated day in and day out, to makedull ears listen and dull hearts understand.
Jealousy is a topic which has been discussed by ten thousand speakers and writers, and no new idea can be advanced upon that unpleasant theme, yet I am again and again asked to give my ideas and counsel to some unfortunate victim of this hideous evil. This time it is the husband of a second wife whom he dearly loved when he married her, but whose repulsive jealousy toward the little child of a first wife is destroying his affection along with his respect.
He is thoughtful, considerate and tender toward his wife, always giving her the

precedence by his attentions when he enters the house. So long as his whole conversation is directed to her she seems happy and contented. Just so soon as he takes his little girl upon his knee and speaks lovingly to her the wife's face darkens and her smile turns to frowns and sulks and tears follow. No amount of reasoning, no amount of pleading, brings a change. The woman simply will not permit the man to show a father's natural affection for his child. She is devoured by the demon Jealousy and allows the creature to wreck the happiness of three beings. Just how a reasonable and intelligent man, as this one seems to be, could woo and wed a woman of such a pronounced insane type of jealousy and not discover his mistake before it was too late, is not explained. Of all qualities in the whole gamut, that most necessary for a step-mother is generosity of heart.
A man should be very sure he is not

marrying a jealous mother for his child. If he possesses any discernment, he should be able to discover her tendencies in this direction before marriage. Having failed to do so, and having this tragic situation to face, it would be well for him to waste no further time in any vacillating and weak efforts at conciliating this unreasonable and utterly selfish woman.
He should call her into a room alone and calmly state his terms in words something after this fashion:
"My dear wife, you married me knowing I had a little child who called me father, and who is entitled to my love and affection. I believed you to be a woman worthy to be my comrade and mate, and broad and good enough to be her loving mother. I have given you a husband's love and care, and I have given her a father's love and care. Neither affection robs the other. They are as different as two flowers in the same garden. I find my-

self grievously disappointed in you. I am deprived of the peace and comfort I have a right to expect in a home. I am made to feel that I cannot caress by child without offending my wife. You have refused to take a reasonable view of the situation. I see no way for us to do but to allow you a proper sum to support you, and to place my child under the care of people who will shield her from the unwholesome influence of a jealous mind. This means a broken home for me, but I am responsible for the life of my little child, and I see no hope of anything but misery if we continue in this present situation. I will give you one month to think it over. If you can by the aid of prayer and common sense, and will power, bring yourself to a state of mind where you are willing to try to be a loving mother and wife and to allow me to be fond of my child without making either of us wretched, I will give you a

new trial, and my waning love for you can be fanned back to life, I am sure. But there must be prompt action on your part, or the flame will go out never to be awakened. I leave it all in your hands."
Then I should walk away and take a little journey of a day or two in order to allow time for calm reflection.
Heroic methods for severe ailments often are the only cure. So long as a jealous nature is coddled and catered to it will grow and thrive. It should not be teased or aggravated, but it should be met by calm, quiet, strong common sense and justice, and dealt with fearlessly. If it is not conquered then, it should be left to solitary enjoyment of its own self-made misery.
Life is too short and precious to waste in the hell made by an insanely jealous person—no matter if it be the nearest tie of blood or law.

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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Fall's most fashionable merchandise, priced for the three days' opening low enough to guarantee a crowded store. Souvenir bargains mid pleasure. Welcome! One and all!

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- See the rich Costumes, \$35.00 up to \$125 00
- The new Opera and Dress Coats, \$25.00 to \$90 00
- The new Walking Suits, \$25.00 to \$75 00
- Swell Dress Skirts, 25.00 to \$50 00

\$1.98 50 Children's Reefers for age 4 to 14; blue, brown, tan, garnet, green, gray; large collar braided with soutache, regular \$2.50 value.

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98c 30 pieces Skirtings and Suitings, Zibeline, pin stripe weave, Chevots and cloths for the opening days only, yard, 98c.

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75c A yard for light and medium shades Satin Duchess, 20 inches wide, \$1.00 to \$1.50 values; special souvenir sale, 75c. Splendid for evening coats, linings and petticoats.

50c A yard for Black Taffeta, 35 inches wide; others ask 75c, which is correct price, but we make a low souvenir price for the opening, 50c.

19c A yard—The plain Henriettas and fancy weaves, 36 inches wide, regular 25c and 35c grade; for this opening sale, yard, 19c.

5c A yard—A lot of Percales, in tan, white, cream and light colors, 36 inches wide, 10c qualities; choice to wipe out the lot, 5c.

49c

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HOME NEEDS

New goods crowd this staple section, besides our warehouse is loaded. The writer, in pointing to the bargain spots that dot this mighty collection, makes the following news well worthy the careful study and thoughtful consideration of every housekeeper. Note the souvenir prices; they stand good for the three days' opening sale.

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100 White and Gray Cotton Fleece 10-4 Blankets, 75c quality, extra souvenir price **49c**

50 pairs 11-4 Blankets, fancy stripes and blocks, worth \$1.75; for the opening sale, pair **\$1.19**

25 pairs wool mixed 12-4 White Blankets, figured borders, \$2.00 grade; the opening price, pair **\$1.49**

25 dozen full bleached Linen Damask Napkins, 5-8 size, regular \$1.50 grade, souvenir price, dozen **\$1.05**

100 dozen Cotton Huck Towels, 16x30; also Honeycomb Towels, 18x22; souvenir price, each **4c**

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Space prevents a description of the many good values you may find in our Hosiery, Handkerchief and Glove stocks. Special souvenir prices can be seen at each counter, plainly marked. Come tomorrow, and share in the pleasures of the opening.

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The \$1.00 and \$1.25 Kid Gloves, black, white and colors, per pair **92c**

The \$1.50 Kid Gloves, two and three clasp, black, white and colors, per pair **\$1.22**

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Fine Hose—a specialty. Silk Hose in plain and fancy colors, from \$7.49 per dozen on down to **\$1.49**

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Ladies' Fast Black Maco Cotton Hose, worth 35c; for this opening sale, 25c per pair **25c**

Ladies' Embroidered Swiss Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, lace edge, linen embroidered corners, a big lot, actual worth 15c to 25c; sale, choice **11c**

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The Social Season

(Continued from Page Nine.)
Rosson, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. L. Egan of Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McFarland and baby Clara, are visiting in Newton, Kansas.
Mrs. T. O. Edwards who has been the guest of Mrs. John P. Swartz since Thursday to join Mr. Edwards in Chicago.
Miss Hortense Martin is in Dallas the guest of Miss Ludolph and Miss Louck. She was a guest at the Elks' German Wednesday and will remain for the dances there this week.
Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Byers and Miss Gertrude Byers have returned to their home in Arlington Heights after a summer spent in Chicago.
Mrs. Worcham of Waco is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. R. Sangumet at Arlington Heights.
Mrs. W. J. Clark of Dallas and Mrs. W. R. Kennon of Jefferson are visiting Mrs. E. W. Taylor.
Miss Varner Beall will be this week the guest of Miss Gibson in Dallas at a large house party composed of several prominent young ladies and Miss Kirby of Houston.
Miss Mary Byers will be in Chicago this winter and will study china painting under Paul's instruction.
They are two of Chicago's best known artists.
Mrs. Bacon Saunders and Miss Saunders will make a short visit to St. Louis this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brower of Lander, Wyoming, are visiting Mrs. Brower's sister, Mrs. William M. Evans, Mr. Brower, who is one of the largest sheep owners in the northwest, is making his first visit to Texas.
J. J. Malton went to Dallas yesterday to assist in the initiation of new members of the Elks' Temple. Mr. Malton, the second member to be initiated in this division of the Shriners.
Mrs. Wallace of Abilene is visiting Mrs. Hovencamp. She will spend the winter here, taking rooms at the European later in the season.
Miss Newlin is the guest of the Misses Crawford during the fair and will attend the parties that are making Dallas say at this time.
Mrs. J. B. Goggin and children have returned from Chicago.
Miss Larimer has returned from a month's visit on the Lee ranch near San Angelo.
Mrs. F. K. Gwynne left yesterday for Palestine where she will live in future.
Mrs. W. J. Ballou is expected home next week having spent the summer in Cloudcroft and California.
Miss Donnie Lee Carter left this week for New York to study this winter in the Students Art League.
Mrs. Hyde Jennings is expected home from Washington this week.
Mrs. John Harrison will arrive this week from Tennessee and New York where she has spent several months.
The Misses Stiles of St. Louis who have been visiting Mrs. E. G. Ball and Mrs. Loeblitz returned home Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kohler will remove to Hobart, O. T., in a short time. Mr. Kohler is there now and Mrs. Kohler will join him in a few days.
Holt Hubbard has returned from a visit to his relatives in Vermont.
Miss Icard of Henrietta is spending a few days at the European.
Miss Beall of El Paso who has been visiting Mrs. E. D. Capps and Miss Beall returns home tomorrow.
Lloyd Pollock left last week for Philadelphia where he will take a post graduate course in a Medical College.
The Imperials have secured the room known as Croon's hall for their permanent club room. It is said that the name will be changed, but the selection has not yet been made. The rooms will be refitted and will be elegant quarters for this popular club.
Mrs. Ben M. Terrell entertained with a luncheon Monday in honor of Mrs. Wallace of Abilene, Mrs. Hovencamp and Mrs. Will Lake. The menu was deliciously tempting, the company congenial and the hostess the embodiment of hospitality.
The Kensington Club was entertained Thursday by Mrs. W. R. Scott, many dainty pieces of needle work being shown by the members and the guests. A two-course luncheon was a culinary triumph, and as is always expected from a Kensington Clubber, the presence of Mrs. Madeline Sinschire, Frost, Melton, J. H. Melton, Hart, Hariburt, Lassiter, Covert, Scoble, Williams, Darnell, Flelding, Chamberlin, Clayton, Burke, Johnson, Misses Melton and Daley Evans, Mrs. Hart will be the next hostess.
Mr. and Mrs. Orrick greeted their seventh wedding anniversary with the kindest welcome Wednesday, and in the evening a number of friends were present to join in the congratulations becoming the occasion. The house was filled with roses, carnations and palms, a gorgeous bouquet of bride roses going to Mrs. Buchanan, who achieved success in giving in rhyme the best definition of "Love and Marriage." This topic was enlarged upon by all the guests and the results will soon appear in the Orrick home, beautifully bound, as a souvenir of the evening. Will Bailey, mayor of Calvert, was among the guests present.
The informal dances in the Elks' club rooms, which were suspended during the hot weather, are to be resumed the first of the season being set for next Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Stuart Harrison will entertain the Pricelia Club with a luncheon on Thursday.
The Marguerites met with Miss Varner Beall Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Roselle winning an embroidered linen box of mousers, the gold prize, and Miss Evans, who achieved success in giving in rhyme the best definition of "Love and Marriage." This topic was enlarged upon by all the guests and the results will soon appear in the Orrick home, beautifully bound, as a souvenir of the evening. Will Bailey, mayor of Calvert, was among the guests present.
Mr. and Mrs. Roman entertained with dinner at the Country Club Thursday evening with Dr. and Mrs. Suggs and Mr. and Mrs. Higby as guests.
Mrs. Chalmers W. Hutchinson, Mrs. Joseph Inverett Goggin, Mrs. Edward L. White, Mrs. William G. Turner, Mrs. N. Harding and Mrs. B. P. Fink will be at home at the Country Club Friday, October 3, 1903, from 4 to 6 p. m. In the evening the hostesses and their house party will entertain.
Master Guy Ball celebrated his birthday yesterday afternoon, having a large number of his little friends to share with him the dignity of his two years.

A MESSAGE FROM THE DEAD

(Original)
When the booming at Sumter fired alike the northern and the southern heart, precipitating civil war, and men of both sides were marching to the front, there was one unwilling volunteer. For a young man Martin Riggs took a very philosophic view of the struggle. He had a theory that if the cause of the war, slavery, were let alone it would die a natural death. Therefore it was very stupid of the people to slaughter each other about it. Holding these views, he took no decided interest in the struggle and did not see why he should enter a contest of which he did not approve. But there is one thing about which no one is philosophic—love. Martin was very much in love with Ethel Birdsey. Ethel caught the war fever at once, and, not being a man to sacrifice herself, she thought it her duty to sacrifice the man she loved, and that was Martin.
"Martin," she said, "it will break my heart, but I must let you go."
"Go where?"
"Why, to the war, of course."
"But supposing I don't want to go to the war?"
Ethel looked at him for a moment in blank surprise, then turned and walked away, saying, "To think that I have loved a coward!"
Martin stood looking at her not only with astonishment, but cut to the heart. He had not considered the matter in this light. He had so deep a reverence for the girl he loved that it flashed upon him her words might be true.
"Ethel, I consider war a barbarous way of settling a question."
"But think of the heroism!"
"The generals get all that."
"Well," she said, turning away again, "we don't seem to think alike in the matter, so there's an end on it."
"Ethel, there is something more to me, just now than the great question involved in this war."
"What's that?" she asked.
"Slavery."
"Why, I thought it was firing on Fort Sumter!"
"Ethel, I shall go for your sake."
And so it was that Martin volunteered and marched away to the war, Ethel waving him a last adieu, tears streaming down her emotional cheeks.
Four years passed and the war was ended. One day a man got off a train at the town from which Martin Riggs had volunteered and walked up the main street. Passing through the village, he struck a road leading to the right and the left and stood deliberating. Just then a man drove by in a bay wagon, and the stranger asked of him:
"Can you tell me where I'll find Miss Ethel Birdsey?"
"Y' can't find no sich pussen; she's married."
"Married?" the stranger started.
"Yes; she married two years ago."
The stranger stood looking like one who has taken a journey for a purpose and found the purpose has no existence.
"What y' want with her?" asked the farmer.
"Well, I have a message for her—that is, I had a message for her, but so long as she's married!"
"Who was it from?"
"A soldier of the late war. We met in Andersonville stockade."
"Who was his name?"
"Martin Riggs."
"Oh, yes, I remember. Ethel sent him off to the war. She was very patriotic in them days. She wanted me to go, but I told her I thought I'd continue to do my fighting on the farm with the army worm and sich varmints as destroys crops. How's Riggs gittin' along?"
"His dead."
"Dead? What a fool he was any way. How'd he die?"
"Well, he was all used up. He was nothing but skin and bone, and then he got sick, and with sickness came nostalgia, or homesickness, and to cheer him up I proposed we should tunnel out. We did so and escaped, but the guard discovered us and shot at us. He hit Riggs and I carried him on my shoulder to a hiding place, where he died. Just before he died he told me that he had been fighting for the love of Ethel Birdsey."
"If you ever get out of this and go north," he said, "see her and tell her that I died in trying to be worthy of her!"
The stranger paused for a few moments, then added: "There was one thing more he said, but I don't like to repeat that. It's sacred."
"I'd like to hear it, stranger. I won't tell."
"Jim," he whispered, "make the dear girl happy. Take my place!"
The farmer sat silent with the loose reins in his hand. He seemed to be thinking hard.
"Stranger," he said presently, "if you'd 'a' come here and found Ethel single she'd 'a' been just the gal to cry over Riggs and be consoled by you. But seein' she's married there's no consolation to be done; leas'taway none in the female line. Ethel's husband wouldn't mind a little 'o' that sort of thing. Praps you might make a deal with him to leave the field open to you and see how she'd take the message and Riggs' plan of makin' her happy. Her man's been tryin' to do 'a' few 'nigh on to three years, and the more he's tried the more mis'able he's made her."
"You seem to know all about her."
"Why shouldn't I, stranger, seein' I'm her husband?"
The farmer gave the reins a melancholy shake and drove on. The stranger turned and took the next departing train. JOSEPH. H. KING.

FALL FESTIVAL TO OPEN MONDAY EVENING

QUEEN WILL BE CROWNED ON THE CARNIVAL GROUNDS—MAYOR WILL TURN OVER KEYS OF THE CITY—PROCLAMATION DECLARING A HALF HOLIDAY—SOME FEATURES OF THE WEEK

PROCLAMATION
Since the management of the Fort Worth Fall Festival has designated Friday, October 3, 1903, as Fort Worth's day, I hereby declare Friday, October 3, 1903, a public half holiday for the city employees, and most respectfully urge that the merchants and manufacturers of the city so arrange their affairs as to grant their employees the same privileges, that they may join in the merrymaking with a good will and strict observance of the rules of good order adopted and published by the general committee of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, who are in charge of the event.
October 3, 1903. T. J. POWELL, Mayor.

CROWNING OF THE QUEEN
The crowning of the queen Monday evening will be an imposing event. All the pomp and pageantry of royalty will distinguish it, and the queen, Miss Corbett, will be accompanied by maids, squires and pages, as befits a sovereign of the realm.
The maids of honor to the queen will be Meses Fay Lano, Bess Ellis, Bertha Roy, Corinne Keller, Marion Zane-Cetti and Grace Davenport.
The crown bearer will be Charlotte Clayton.
The flower girls will be Georgia Colvin, May Armstrong, Ethel Ramage and Frue Nunnally.
The pages will be Hunter Gardner and William Newlin.
The outriders will be Guy Pittner, Walter Terrell, Robert Crozier, Frank Hicks, Carl Zane-Cetti, Ed Hoffman and Holt Hubbard.
The heralds will be R. E. L. Costan and W. L. Woodson of New Orleans.

THE OPENING NIGHT
Tomorrow night will be the opening of the plaza at the Fort Worth Fall Festival. The queen will be crowned in the afternoon at the corner of Eleventh and Throckmorton streets. An elaborate program has been arranged from among the high-class acts engaged by the committee, consisting of Woodson, the magician; the Weber family of five acrobats; the Froemelias in exhibitions of physical culture; Holmes and Waldron, a musical team; and the immitable Silema, in his great comedy act upon a slack wire. The doors being opened at 6:30 p. m. The arrival of the queen will be announced by trumpeters and the ceremony will commence upon her arrival, after the crowning of the queen, she will be presented with the keys of the city by the mayor, after which her proclamation will be read and her majesty will press the button that will turn on the lights and open the second annual Fall Festival. The admission to the coronation will be 25 cents, which includes seats. The committee has not been able to carry out every detail which at first it had hoped to do, but any shortcomings can be attributed to lack of necessary financial support. However, the attractions this year will surpass in quality anything ever in Fort Worth. The shows will be fourteen in number, and every one high class, moral and refined. They are as follows:
The Stadium composed of acrobatic and comedy acts.
The Grand Circus, composed of athletic, musical and comedy acts.
The Vaudeville theater, a family show.
Woodson, the great A. L. Herrmann magician.
The Old Plantation, twelve artists and a brass band.
Broncho busting, outlaw horses and rough riders.
Fairs wheel.
Merry-go-round.
An Indian village, including thirty Choctaw bucks and squaws.
The fantastic, the flying lady and a statue turning to life.
An electric museum, moving pictures and other electrical devices.
The diving children, in diving and nautical exhibitions.
Coke's museum of freaks of nature.
Half man and half woman.
Monday night will see the plaza open to the public, having from all quarters, and the sight of the brilliant show which fronts all brightly lighted with hundreds of incandescent lamps, besides nearly fifty that will be in place to light every one.

EVERY ONE IS COMING
The crowds are coming from every direction reports everywhere coming.
"Martin reports," says the \$2.50 rate from Oklahoma will clear out this town. The rates are \$1 from Waco and return, 75 cents from Dallas and return, \$1.25 from Fort Worth and return, \$1.50 from Comstock and return and \$2 from Brownwood and return. Other rates are one fare plus 10 per cent from every point, good until October 11.
The committee has established an information bureau, where parties who have rooms can register same. Everybody who can care for one or more should send in their names, addresses and full particulars. No attention will be paid to any who show a disposition to take advantage of a crowded condition of affairs.

PARADES AND FIRE WORKS
The parades are progressing nicely, and the outlook for a grand display is good in both the flower parades and the equestrian, merchants' and society parades of floats.
An order for fire works has been placed, consisting of cascades, bouquets, fountains, batteries and colored fire. These will be placed upon three wagons in the night parade, representing the fire works scene displayed on the lithographs used in the advertising of the event. Laocamb's Union band and the Nacona, Texas, ladies' band have been engaged.
Captain Irvin C. Carter is in progress, grounds and seats for the show is progressing nicely, and by Monday every thing will be ready. When it is known that the details for this event have been under construction since last April, and no effort spared to reach the people and to produce an entertainment the equal of any ever shown in any city, all merchants should decorate their places of business and show an interest in the different special days.

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STEAMFITTERS RETURN
Strike Involving 1,800 Men Is Finally Settled in New York
NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Steamfitters and helpers to the number of 1,800 who have been on strike here for several weeks, have signed the arbitration agreement of the Building Trades Employers' Association, and taken in their members of the union 138 men who had been employed to fill their places. They will get \$8 a day.
It has been decided to refer the trouble between the old and new unions of stone cutters to the masons' builders' union for settlement and the threatened strikes and lockouts in that branch of the labor which it had been feared would again tie up construction work here, has been called off.

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Wise Words to Sufferers
From a Woman of Notre Dame, Ind.
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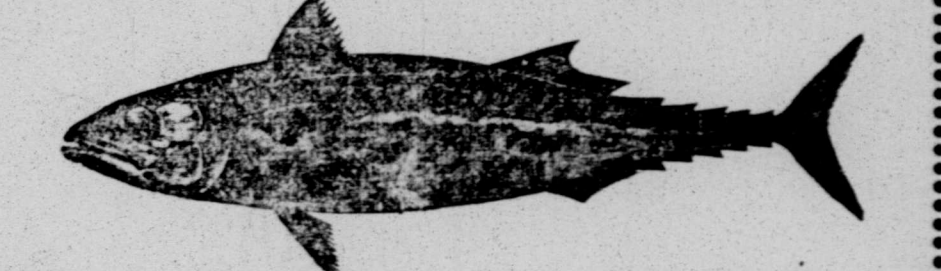
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LOCAL FRATERNAL SOCIETY EVENTS

This Week Is to Be One of Pleasure for All

PROGRAMS ARRANGED

Knights of Pythias and Woodmen Have Arranged for Day at Fall Festival

Saturday has been selected as Woodmen day at the Fall Festival, and the largest crowd of Woodmen ever assembled in Fort Worth will be here on that day to participate in the program which has been arranged by the local camp and festival committee.

EUTAW COUNCIL NO. 13

Since it was decided by Eutaw council No. 13, Degree of Pochontas, I. O. R. M., that the ladies of this council would have a booth and participate in the Fall Festival, nothing has been left undone which would go to make a success of these undertakings.

JOLLY HAYMAKERS, I. O. R. M.

For the past few months on account of the dry and heated condition of matters, the Haymakers have been very quiet. Now that the cool weather has started in and hay is in a condition to be hauled, the members of Sagamore have left for considering new efforts to be made towards teaching traps to make hay by moonlight.

A Quart Baby.

Now and again there is an item in the newspapers concerning the birth of a puny baby so small that a quart cup holds it comfortably.

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TRINITY LODGE No. 82, COLUMBIAN LEAGUE

For the first time in the history of the order in Texas a death has occurred in the person of Mrs. Sabina O'Hearne, Friday morning, pursuant to a call issued by the commander of the lodge, a large attendance of the members were on hand to pay the last tribute of respect to a deceased member.

K. OF P.'S TO PARTICIPATE

The Knights of Pythias are planning for a great day during the Fall Festival, and in fact are anticipating a great time during the entire week. Tuesday will be the Knights of Pythias' day and a large crowd of visiting knights will be in the city to assist in making it a complete success.

ONETO TRIBE, No. 95, I. O. R. M.

The unanimous vote at the last meeting of this tribe, held Monday, it was decided that more attention should in future be paid to the social features of the order, and in accordance a special notice has been sent out calling upon all members to be present on Monday night at the wigwam, when the degree work will be exemplified and in addition to that full steps as to the Red Men's parade on next Friday will be thoroughly discussed.

NEW LODGE ORGANIZED

A lodge of the Improved Order of Red Men has been organized at Vernon. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: J. P. Hines, sachem; Ennio Houk, senior sagamore; W. E. Wells, junior sagamore; Early S. Hendricks, prophet; R. W. Hall, keeper of the faith; R. T. Stewart, keeper of the records; R. A. Kelly, collector of taxes; L. H. Groves, Squires, keeper of wampum; J. H. Pendleton, John H. Houseless and L. G. Hawkins, trustees.

CONCERT PROGRAM

The following is the program arranged for this afternoon and night at Lake Erie Park pavilion. March—Under the American Eagle... J. H. Ellis Overture—The Bridal Tour... Ennio Houk Operatic Selection—Queen of the Pirate Isle... Carl Isenman Sacred Selection—Stabat Mater... Rossini Scene Arabelle—Under the Palm Trees... J. P. Hines... James Mack Mobley—Longing for Home... Isenman March—Our Soldier Boys... Bocker Fantasia—Southern Plantation Echoes... Moses Toland Intermzzo—Antonia... Michael Groves Operatic Overture—Fra Diavolo... Auber Negro Oddy—Me and Me Banjo... Kerry Mills Medley Overture—The Merry Makers... March—The New Colonial... R. B. Hall

The Churches of Fort Worth

First Christian—The pastor, Rev. R. H. Hamlin, will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject at 11 o'clock, "Confession vs. Profession." Evening subject at 7 o'clock, "The Christian's Hope."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

First Congregational Church—Corner College Avenue and Leuda street, preaching at 11 a. m. topic, "The Method." "What Peter Received for the Use of his Boat." Subject at 7:30 p. m., "Through Difficulties to Jesus."

METHODIST

First Methodist Church, South—Corner Fourth and Jones street, Dr. S. H. Werlein, pastor, 11 a. m. topic, "The Method." "Discovering the Truth." 7:45 p. m. topic, "The Building of a City." A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

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Costly Illuminations Planned for Occasion of His Visit to Eternal City

Special cable to The Telegram, Copyright 1903, by W. R. Hearst. PARIS, Oct. 2.—Among the most distinguished visitors who have recently stopped in this city is Prince Colonna, the mayor of Rome, who has now left here in order to return to Rome to start the first preparations for the reception of the czar, which will surpass the reception given by the Eternal City to any monarch.

The decorations of the Via Nazionale and the L'Espresso will be more simple, but much more effective than they were at the time of the reception of Emperor William. According to the old Russian custom, a delegation of the members of the Russian colony in Rome will meet the czar at the depot and hand him bread and salt on a golden tray.

A NEW FRENCH HOLIDAY

If the papal court at Rome declares Jeanne d'Arc enlisted among the saints, which will probably happen in the very near future, there is quite a good deal of guessing going on as to what day in the year will be dedicated to the patron saint of France.

OUR DISTINGUISHED COUNTRY WOMAN, Mlle. Cleo de Merode, is marching from success to success in all her undertakings.

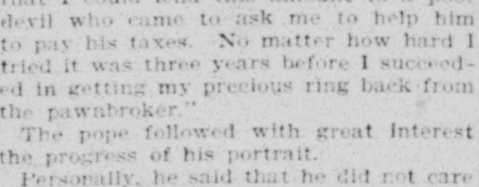
THE POPE'S PORTRAIT

If one may believe the words of the Austrian painter, who has just returned from Rome after having painted the portrait of Pope Pius X, the present pope is evidently the most democratic man who ever occupied the chair of St. Peter. The painter says that he spent the most delightful hours of his life while making studies for the portrait of his holiness.

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When everything is cooked "just right." Well, the next time you find anything not cooked the way you think it should have been, don't blame your wife, but go and take a look at your range or cook stove and see if it can't be improved.

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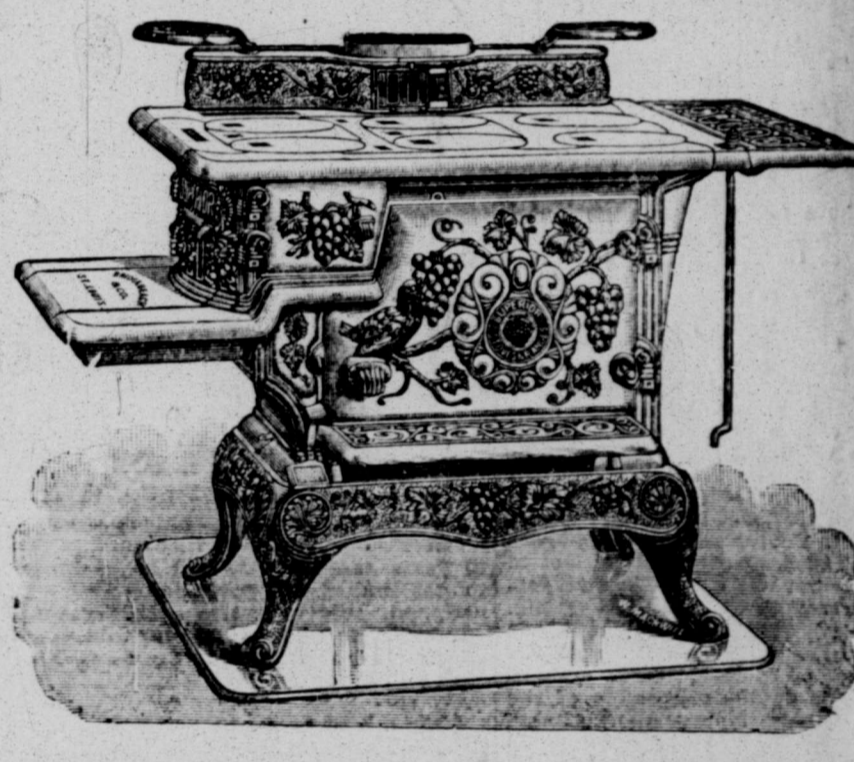
Cheap Enamel Ware We Handle Lisk's Anti-Rust Tinware

Is the most expensive in the end, so when you buy you will save money if you buy the STRANSKY IMPORTED STEEL ENAMELED WARE, because it is guaranteed to be better than any other enameled ware made in this or any other country.

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Which has an unlimited guarantee. If it ever rusts, bring it back and get a new piece. Don't buy cheap racket store Tinware—it never lasts.

We Carry the Finest Line of Up-to-Date Cutlery

To be found in this city, and you will never know how much we can save you unless you inspect our goods and get our prices. See us for Hunters' Supplies.

DIETING INVITES DISEASE To cure Dyspepsia or indigestion it is no longer necessary to live on milk and toast. Starvation produces such weakness that the whole system becomes an easy prey to disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the organs to digest and all cases of indigestion, is a never failing cure for indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. The diet digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by all druggists.

Texas Pioneers Who Are Now in the City

In 1841 when the beautiful town of Paris only marked a crossing of the Red river...

of timber, the other end going into a hole bored in an upright that answered for a support...

we have had much to be thankful for. Among the early preachers were many who were more zealous than learned...

OLD SETTLERS END MEETING

Enjoyable Reunion Comes to a Close After Election of Officers

- President—Henry C. Holloway. First Vice-President—Rufus Isbell. Secretary—John P. Zinn. Assistant Secretary—Jesse Jones.

And still they come. New Suits, Jackets and Skirts for fall wear.



New Zephyrs, Silk Shawls, Hand'ch'fs and Squares. A superb line.

Cold Weather Calls for These

Pretty Flannellettes in fine twills, pleasing color combinations, in Persian stripes and designs suited for house gowns, kimonos, etc.

Petticoats \$1.19 Worth \$1.50

A good lot of real mercerized twilled saten Petticoats, deep flounce, cut very full and they fit perfectly over the hip.

You Seldom See Such Good Aprons

The assortment is all that you would expect and even more, for you seldom see the variety shown as is here.

A Big Lot of Staple Cotton Goods Just In

All the best Calicoes, China Blue Indigos, Claret Reds, Mourning, styles and fancies, same price, no advance, yard.

Children's Long Coats

We've made special preparations to please the girls in winter coats. Our collection is choice, nicely made, full long coats, trimmed in real nobby effects.

The New Dress Goods

Plain solid colors and mixtures in cloths heavy or light, with smooth or rough surfaces are shown for winter wear and street suits.

Silks that are Popular for Shirt Waist Suits

In broken checks, changeable blues, browns, greens and cardinal, also plain changeable taffetas; price, a yard, 98c, 80c and.

Sweaters

Cool days demand the popular knitted blouse—they are shown here in variety solid colors and fancy combinations.

Superior Black Taffetas

The leather brand, black Taffetas will not split or crack—the word guarantee is woven in the selvedge.

Stylish Millinery

The style of Hats depends of course upon the gown with which it is to be worn. With tailor suits a variety of Turbans will be worn both with large effects and turn up sharply.

Ribbons

Satin Taffetas and Satin Liberties in all desirable shades—black and white; 4 and 5-inch widths; yd. 25c

Trimmings

For tailor gowns, all variety of braids, stitch bands, wood silk pendants, ornaments, fringes, appliques, etc.

Practical Lining Silks

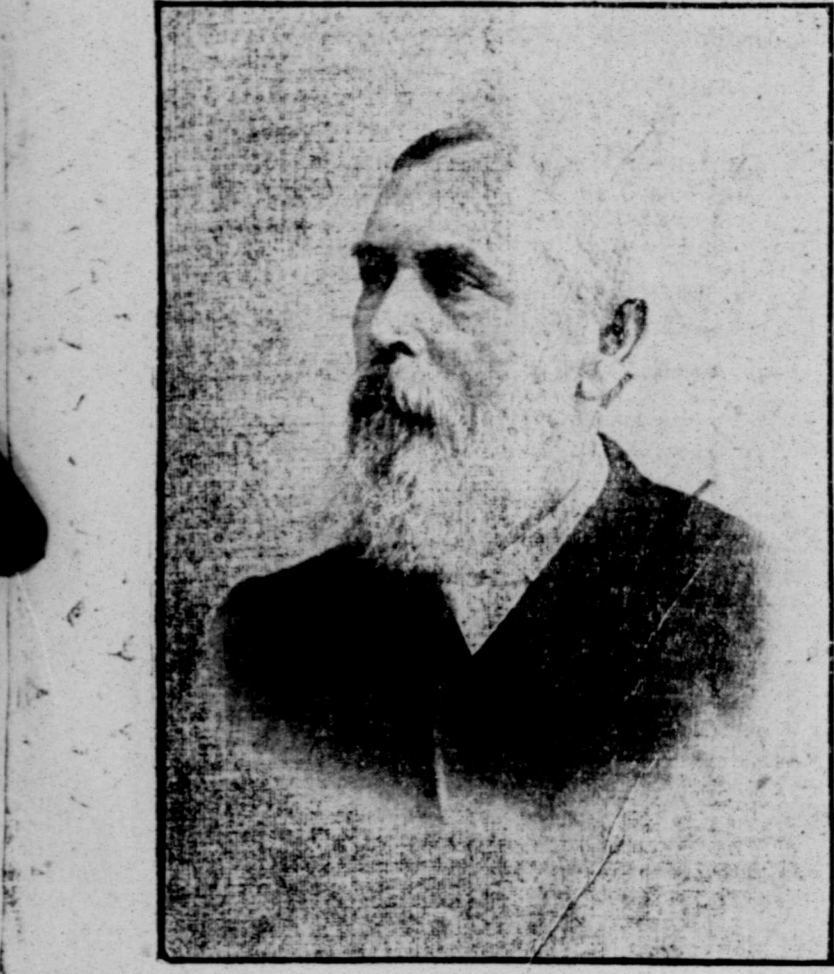
A full range of colors in the pure silks for lining suits, a yard. 45c

Stylish New Jackets, \$10.75

The popular Jacket is shown here at the popular price of \$10.75. Colors black, castor, royal, green, red and brown, full satin lining, double cape, tight fitting back—a \$15.00 garment in every respect.

All Kinds of Buttons

50 styles of new buttons for trimming, in gold, dull grays, white and fancy combinations; price, dozen, down from \$1.50



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ness this part of his interests passed under the management of B. M. Burgher of Dallas. Of the eight children born to Mr. and Mrs. Burgher four are living.

Settlers' Association of Tarrant county was carried out yesterday without a hitch, although the attendance, like the preceding day, was very small.

Constipated? Heptol Split. Makes no difference whether it's temporary or chronic. Heptol Split will relieve you. They act upon the stomach, bowels, kidneys and liver, pleasantly, quickly and surely.

Decidedly Coincident. Three Sets of Twins in One Family at the Same Time. NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Mrs. John Beam of Mitchellville, 55 years old, has given birth to twins.

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A bad cold; a good doctor. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. "Thanks." I. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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